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READ—

Letter from Survey and Settlement Commissioner dated 3rd April 1879, No. 307, forwarding with reference to para 9 of Chief Commissioner's Minute, appended to Proceedings above read, letter No. 280, dated 24th March 1879, from the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, and proposing that a remission of one-fourth of the full recorded assessment be granted to those garden lands of the villages of Hagalvadi, Siddapur and Anihalli, which are assessed at over Rs. 8 per acre, such remissions however not to exceed the sum sufficient to bring the remaining assessment down to Rs. 8 per acre, the remission being allowed for a period of five years from the year of settlement.

No. 1078—REV. 8, DATED BANGALORE, 5TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The Chief Commissioner approves of the proposals submitted by the Survey and Settlement Commissioner in respect of the garden lands of the villages of Hagalvadi, Siddapur and Anihalli, and sanctions the remission for five years from the settlement of one-fourth of the full recorded assessment on those assessed at over Rs. 8 per acre, provided that the assessment of no garden is thereby reduced below Rs. 8 an acre.

2. Para 9 of Chief Commissioner's Minute dated 11th February 1879 did not contemplate the full remission of assessment for two years as supposed by the Superintendent of the Revenue Survey. The Chief Commissioner meant that some remission from the full assessment should be allowed.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary.

To—The Survey and Settlement Commissioner.
" Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.
" Superintendent, Revenue Survey.
" Deputy Commissioner, Tumkúr District
Deputy Accountant General.

READ—

Letter No 85—28, dated 5th May 1879, from the Commissioner, Ashtagram, reporting on the tenders offered for the Mysore District toddy contract.

Letter from Fergus Smith, Papanna and Nanje Gauda, dated 2nd May 1879, representing that Messrs. Davy, Muddappa and Co., the highest tenderers, already hold several spirit and toddy contracts, and that they are willing to give as much as has been tendered by Messrs. Davy, Muddappa and Co.

Petition from Messrs. Brown and Rachmal Sét, the present contractors, representing their losses on the contract which expires on the 15th instant, and that they asked to be relieved from the 1st April, and praying that their tender may be accepted to the exclusion of those higher than their own.

No. 1236—REV. 8, DATED 12TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The highest tender received is that of Messrs. Davy, Muddappa and Co. for Rs. 1,70,000. This is a decrease of Rs. 50,000 upon the amount of the present contract, but is an advance on the sum for which the contract was let prior to the 1st April 1875, and it is considered by the Chief Commissioner a pretty fair amount under present circumstances. Messrs. Davy, Muddappa and Co. have been successful and satisfactory contractors also in their several dealings with the Government, and Mr. Gordon would be happy to accept their present tender did circumstances permit of his doing so, but Messrs. Davy, Muddappa and Co. already hold the toddy contract of the Nundydroog Division and of the Hassan District. They have besides the monopoly of distillation and supply of spirits for Mysore and Hassan, and Mr. Gordon cannot overlook the grave objection which exists to the same contractors having the arrack and toddy of Ashtagram and the toddy of Nundydroog; their bid cannot therefore be accepted.

2. The next amount bid is Rs. 1,65,000 by Messrs. Smith, Papanna and Nanje Gauda who have since signified their readiness to pay Rs. 1,70,000 if the contract is given to them, and this offer Mr. Gordon decides to accept as the best in the interests of the Province.

3. There remains to be considered the offer of Rs. 1,60,000 made by the present contractors Messrs. Brown and Rachmal Sét and their representation that they are entitled in justice to have their bid accepted owing to the circumstances in which their present contract has been concluded.

4. Messrs. Brown and Rachmal Sét claim consideration not only on account of losses actually sustained through the late disastrous famine, but on account of outstandings which can only be realized in the event of their retaining the contract. Actual losses by the famine have been admitted and allowance has already been made for them; the Chief Commissioner is also prepared to grant a further reasonable concession on that account; the prospective losses through non-realization of outstandings are the results of Messrs. Brown and Rachmal Sét resigning the contract during its currency; the chance of incurring these losses was before the contractors when they determined to resign and must have been fully weighed by them when they decided to run the risk by throwing up the contract. The Chief Commissioner cannot admit therefore that this Administration is at all bound to grant further concessions on that account.

5. It is true that Messrs. Brown and Rachmal Sét asked to be relieved of their contract from the 1st April and that the termination was not permitted until the 15th May, but the application only reached the Chief Commissioner towards the end of March and it was quite out of reason to grant the request on such short notice; indeed much consideration has been shewn at the risk of injuriously affecting the revenue by permitting the conclusion of the contract on the short notice allowed. Mr. Gordon is therefore unable to admit that Messrs. Brown and Rachmal Sét have any preferential claim to the renewal of a contract which they themselves have resigned when it was left open to them to regain it by fair competition with others who according to their own shewing had not an equal interest in making the highest tender that would leave a fair margin of profit to the contractor.

6. The Chief Commissioner therefore grants the contract for the exclusive sale of date toddy in the Mysore District from the 16th May 1879 to the 31st March 1881 to Messrs. Smith, Papanna and Nanje Gauda at the rate of Rs. 1,70,000 (one lakh and seventy thousand) per annum.

7. In preparing the contract bond, Mr. Gordon desires that a maximum rate for the sale of toddy be fixed at 50 per cent above the present minimum price, and he further directs the insertion of a clause to the effect that the contractors shall abide by any rules which the Chief Commissioner may frame, similar to that contained in clause IV of para 5 of the Notification published in the *Mysore Gazette* of the 15th February 1879 relating to the toddy contract of the Nundydroog Division.

8. The Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District will submit the contract bond for approval before execution.

W. J. CUNNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary.

To—The Commissioner of Ashtagram Division
„ Deputy Commissioner, Mysore.
Messrs Davy, Muddappa and Co
„ Smith, Papanna and Nanje Gauda.
„ Brown and Rachmal Sét.
The Deputy Accountant General.
„ Commissioners, Nundydroog and Nagar, } for information.
„ Dy. Commissioners of Districts

READ—

Letter No. 428 of the 28th April 1879, from the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, communicating instructions given by him to the Deputy Commissioner, Túmkúr District, in regard to the rules to be observed in accepting the relinquishment of lands on which arrears of revenue may be due.

No. 1334—REV. 27, DATED 12TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The Chief Commissioner observes that the orders given in his Proceedings of the 10th June 1878, No. 1759—Rev. 14, had reference only to the year 1878—79. The practice of refusing the relinquishment of lands on which arrears of revenue may be due is a remnant of the old system of saddling ryots with

lands against their will. Mr. Gordon sees no reason to refuse the relinquishment if it is clearly understood that it does not exonerate the ryot from the payment of the arrears due, and if the officer accepting the relinquishment is held responsible for seeing that the security of land possessing a saleable value for the recovery of the arrears is not thereby lost. The relinquisher's other property will be liable for the arrears, and where he is an insolvent without any property and unable to carry on the cultivation, and the land is of no saleable value, it is better to accept the relinquishment and throw open the land to others for cultivation.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.
„ Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions, for information and guidance.

From the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, Mysore, To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, No. 357, dated Bombay, 17th April 1879.

I have the honor to forward the appended letter from the Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, No. 268 of the 22nd ultimo and previous correspondence regarding the revision of the assessment of Magadi Taluk of the Bangalore District

2. It would be superfluous to follow the Superintendent in detail through the statistical description of the taluk generally; it appears to be a taluk with a favorable climate, well situated as regards communications and markets, and so far as can be judged by the returns drawn up since the famine with a very fair population, there being even in the fair season of 1877—78 158 souls to the square mile present, a number which must infallibly be much increased when present absentees, who wandered away in search of subsistence during the famine, return to their homes. The total number of cattle recorded 82,387 is exceedingly great and represents a very large accumulation of capital.

3. The statement at para 29 of the Superintendent's report gives the revenue history of this taluk for the past twenty-five years In the area recorded as annually under cultivation little information can be deduced -expressed as it is in khandis; it may, however, give some idea of the comparative progress of the occupied area. In this statement the only really trustworthy item is the record of actual collections. The year 1876—77 may be disregarded, as all normal conditions were upset in that year by the famine. The collections shew a pretty steady annual increase from the 1st year of the statement 1852—53, Rs. 56,493, up to 1867—68, when they attained to Rs. 91,200, this year being ordinarily the year of highest collections in Mysore. Thence from 1867—68 till 1875—76 there is as usual with some fluctuations, a fall till in the last year Rs. 85,346 was the amount realized.

4. The increase in realized revenue is not commensurate with the recorded increase in cultivation even on the bare figures and still less is it commensurate with the increase when it is considered that the recorded increase in cultivation is much greater during the twenty-five years on the more valuable rice and garden lands than it is on the less valuable dry crop lands.

5. A comparison of the list of prices also given at the 29th para of the Superintendent's report will shew that during the five years antecedent to 1876—77, there was a most marked increase in the price of the articles therein shewn compared with the prices of the first five years those following 1851—52; this increase I find on the average amounts to about 50 per cent, so that the amount of produce which required to be sold to satisfy the Government demand in the first five years would produce a sum 50 per cent higher in the last 5 years.

6. It is true that there was a considerable increase in the collections during the past twenty-five years, but it was not commensurate with what we may assume to have been the increase in cultivation, and the rise in prices certainly gives no reason for its not being fully so commensurate.

7. The old rates of assessment as stated by the Amildar are noted at para 31 of the Superintendent's letter; it is clear that these rates must have been purely nominal, at any rate in the general run of cases, otherwise a much larger revenue would have been drawn from the district. Both the rate and the area were it may be said equally nominal.

8. At para 34 the Superintendent explains the grouping of villages for different rates of assessment and the rates of assessment which it is proposed to impose on each group. These rates were fully discussed with him before he put them officially forward and they were proposed with my full concurrence.

9. The estimated result of the imposition of these rates of assessment on the Government occupied land is shewn in the table at para 35 of the Superintendent's letter and on the Government arable waste land in the following para.

10. In 1876—77 the following is the comparative result, as shewn in the Superintendent's 48th para, which as regards the revenue is that which would have been realizable had the famine not intervened. The necessary deduction is made from the gross survey assessment on account of sum required for payment of village officers and contribution to irrigation cess.

		Rs.	Rs.
Land Revenue Demand, 1876—77		...	84,844
Gross Survey Assessment of land occupied in 1876—77...	... ...	96,572	
Deduct for village officers	Rs. 6,000		
Do for contribution to Irrigation Fund	... Rs. 1,662		
		7,662	
			88,910
Leaving a net increase of revenue of Rs.			4,066

How much of this net increase will be actually realized must of course depend materially upon the extent of land now in occupation, after deducting land resigned in consequence of the famine.

11. The Rs. 6,000 imposed to meet the cost of the permanent remuneration of the village officers is most distinctly not an addition to taxation, but is in substitution for the practice of those officers paying themselves by direct levies in kind, which are abolished on the introduction of the survey settlement so far as the village officers are concerned, but not as regards the village servants, whose receipts in kind are in no way interfered with by the settlement.

12. The irrigation fund is of course an addition to existing taxation, the amount is small and how far the addition is sensible must in the main depend on what is done with the proceeds.

13. As usual, the local cess is leviable at the rate of one anna on the rupee of land revenue after the settlement and will produce, it is estimated, Rs. 6,877 on Government and minor inam lands together, against Rs. 2,132 the realizable amount of the ½ anna local cess in 1876—77. It is difficult to understand unless the former collections were incorrectly made, how with a difference in the total assessment of within 5 per cent, the local cess at double the rate produces more than three times the amount. This local cess cannot be considered an addition to the taxation of the taluk if it is spent on the purposes for which it is avowedly collected.

14. There is a considerable area of Government assessed arable waste land as follows :—

	Acres.	Assessment.
Garden	125	386
Rice	1,260	4,811
Dry Crop	17,611	14,751
	18,996	19,948

In the course of time much of the above waste garden and rice land and some of the dry crop will probably be brought into occupation, but it is impossible so soon after the famine to expect that this will to any extent occur at an early date. Under ordinary circumstances there is here room for a considerable expansion of the revenue.

15. At para 53 of his letter the Superintendent quotes the case of certain villages which have their revenue much increased or much decreased by the operation of the survey assessment. This statement affects whole villages ; similar inequalities will be found in individual assessments in villages which do not shew any material increase or decrease on the whole village. The old assessment had not in fact here or anywhere else in Mysore any systematic base whatever either in area or quality of land and great inequality on whole villages but more on individuals could alone be the result.

16. The rates now proposed, as I before stated, were proposed with my entire concurrence. On going into the whole case now again in detailed form the only doubt I have is whether the revenue proposed to be drawn from this taluk is not by 4 or 5 per cent too low and whether a slight increase of the rates by something less than one anna in the rupee, in order to produce that increase, would not be justifiable. That the rates proposed are fully low I feel no doubt whatever, but on the whole and after full consideration I am not inclined to propose any increase in the rates, but to look to the occupation of the waste land to produce an increase in the revenue. Considering the extent to which the general resources of the country must have been affected by the famine, extreme moderation in assessment requires even more careful attention than under ordinary circumstances.

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17. With reference to para 9 of Chief Commissioner's Minute dated 11th February last, published with order No. 10590—212 of the 15th February, I must warn against the utter fallacy of attempting to draw any deductions from the average assessments of adjacent taluks. Unless there is a certainty that the average quality of the land is identical, a comparison of the average assessment can be of no use whatever. In dry crop land there may in large areas be some approach to a uniformity of general average, but in rice land and garden land such cannot be the case as the assessment of such land depends mostly on the water supply; that this is very variable in different taluks is a matter of notoriety. The only mode of instituting a comparison in the assessment of two taluks is by what is called the "Maximum Rate" which represents and indicates the standard of assessment applied to each.

18. Paras 10, 11 and 14 of the Chief Commissioner's Minute above referred to, to some extent bear in the case of assessments generally and it may be well to shortly notice the points there adverted to.

19. In reference to para 10 the cocoanut lands referred to are not garden lands and can only be very remotely brought into any comparison with them; they are what are called dry cocoanut lands, and though the cocoanut does grow and produce fairly in such low lying lands, yet they are very different from garden lands proper both in original expenditure in planting, the trouble of maintenance and the produce obtained.

20. In regard to para 11, I shall be glad to discuss the point alluded to by the Chief Commissioner when he propounds the reasons for the opinion he appears to hold. The system of garden assessment is no new system, and has, the Chief Commissioner may be assured, been considered in every point of view years and years back. I am fully prepared to justify it both in a theoretical as well as a practical point of view whenever I am required to do so by specific objections being brought against it.

21. With reference to para 14 of the Chief Commissioner's Minute above referred to, the Chief Commissioner indicates a desire to separate the irrigation cess from the land revenue and shew it separately in the accounts. It was till about four years ago thus distinctly shewn, but the dissatisfaction caused by the separate and visible collection of this cess was so intense that after considerable discussion it was decided to adopt the plan of amalgamation and after-deduction in the lump now in force. This plan having been deliberately adopted I do trust that no farther change may be made; there can be no practical difficulty in deducting the amount from the revenue in the lump, and there will always be plenty of modes visible in which the sum produced can be spent with advantage to the people.

22. It remains to notice the Amrut Mahal Kavals referred to in paras 57 and 58 of the Superintendent's letter and in para 10 of the letter of the Commissioner of the Nundydroog Division appended. First in regard to those Kavals containing cultivated land in which the Amrut Mahal Department claims certain grazing rights; these lands would it appears under Chief Commissioner's order No. 4015—87 of 20th July 1877, become purely kandayam lands. Next as regards those lands apparently wrongly entered in the Amildar's lists as Amrut Mahal Kavals, the grazing of which is annually sold on behalf of Government. These should be confined as Government lands. Thirdly as regards the lands in which doubt existed as to the Amrut Mahal holding rights or not; these should be examined at the settlement and disposed of in accordance with what appears to be the true state of each case.

23. In the 59 to 61 paras the Superintendent proposes certain transfers of villages which meet with the approval of the Commissioner of Division.

24. I have now the honor to request that these proposals may receive early consideration.

From the Offg. Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, To the Survey and Settlement Commissioner of Mysore, No. 268, dated Camp Haranhalli Taluk, Arsikere, 22nd March 1879.

I have the honor to forward my report No. 201 of 28th February 1879 on the proposed revision of the Magadi Taluk, together with letter No. 734 of 18th instant from the Commissioner, Nundydroog, containing his remarks on the same, and request that sanction may be obtained so as to enable the settlement to be introduced about the month of May next.

2. The only portion of the Nundydroog Commissioner's letter quoted above that calls for any remark on my part is, I think, para 9 in which reference is made to the kavals; it will be seen on reference to Appendix A of my report that cultivation exists in almost all of them *vide* Nos. 135, 136, 137, 138, and 139, of 1st class, Nos. 42, 44, 69 to 76 of 2nd class, Nos. 35, 36 37 and 38 of 3rd class villages as entered in Appendix A; when these lands were brought into cultivation I have at present no record to shew, but if necessary this point could be ascertained at the time of the introduction of the settlement; the probability is that the Amrut Mahal Kaval claims the right to graze on these lands after the crops are cut, and it is to them that I refer in para 57 of my report herewith submitted, and concerning the ultimate disposal of which I request instructions.

From the Offg. Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, To the Survey and Settlement Commissioner of Mysore, No. 201, dated Nittur, 28th February 1879.

I have the honor to submit the following proposals for the revision of the assessment of the Magadi Taluk of the Bangalore District of the Nundydroog Division.

2. The Magadi Taluk is situated about 20 miles west of Bangalore, and is bounded on the north by the Túmkúr, on the south by the Closepet, on the east by the Bangalore and Nelamangala, and on the west by the Kunigal Taluks.

Boundaries.

3. Portion of this Taluk belonged formerly to the Kengeri Taluk and has already been brought under the survey settlement; the remaining unsettled portion to which these proposals now apply contains 324 villages which are divided into Magnis as shewn in the following statement. :—

Sub-Division into Villages and Magnis.

Number.	Magni.	Number of Government Villages.	Number of Amrut Mahal Kavals.	No. of State-Forests.	Number of Inam Villages.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Magadi	36	...		12	48
2	Santnur	24	2		12	38
3	Gudemarnhalli	19	...		14	33
4	Madbal	37	...	1	10	48
5	Solur	34	2		10	46
6	Hulikallu	20	3		...	23
7	Narsapdra	20	...		1	21
8	Tipsandra	25	6		7	38
9	Kudur	19	7		2	28
9	Total.....	234	20	1	68	323

The proposed revision of assessment refers to the 234 Government villages and also to those of the 20 Amrut Mahal Kavals in which kandayam paying lands now exist, and all calculations of area, &c. do not include the inam villages except where such is specially mentioned.

4. The taluk has a length from north to south of about 22 miles; and an average breadth from east to west of about 14 miles; its total area inclusive of the inam villages is 201,711 acres, equal to about 314 square miles.

Natural Characteristics.

5. North of the road from Bangalore to Hassan the country is bare of trees and generally level with, towards the east, numerous small rocky hills and ridges, the off-shoots of the high peak of Shivaganga which is situated on the border in the Nelamangala Taluk. South of this road the character of the landscape gradually changes, the rocky hills increase in size and number and scrub vegetation appears; still further south about and beyond the hill of Savandurga, (which is upwards of 4,000 feet in height) the country in many parts is intersected with rocky and stony ridges covered with dense tangled thorny vegetation, so much so that some villages are difficult of access to a man on horseback; in some places I observed the stumps of large trees, the remains of the old forest which once covered this part of the country.

6. The Arkavati runs through the east of the taluk, but is here but a small stream undeserving the name of a river.

7. Throughout the whole of the centre and south of the taluk scrup jungle prevails amongst the hills, but it is only in the vicinity of Savandurga that trees in any number appear. A large block of land of several thousand acres surrounding this old hill fort have been preserved as a State-forest for some years, and the effects of this preservation are I understand beginning to be perceived.

Forests.

8. In most of the low lying lands and along the beds of streams especially of the Arkavati river, the "Honge" tree grows with great luxuriance; the wood of this tree makes but indifferent firewood, but the nuts yield a useful burning oil and the leaves are used for manure. The use of the oil-cake as a manure has lately attracted some attention.

9. In the west centre of the taluk and towards the Kunigal frontier the wild date grows freely, and this part of the country forms one of the chief depôts whence Bangalore is supplied with shendi; a regular traffic with posted bullocks is established to carry this produce from beyond Solur to Bangalore daily.

Climate and rain-fall.

10. The climate and rain-fall of the more open parts is very similar to that of Bangalore The Madbal Magni has a bad reputation for fever, especially in the cold weather; with this exception the climate of the taluk may be considered good and healthy.

11. The return of rain-fall as registered at the head-quarters of the taluk gives an average of 31·66 inches. I am disposed to think that this may be considered a fair average for the taluk, with a little less for the northern magnis and a little more for the south.

Varieties of soils.

12. The ordinary dry crop soil is red stony mould, very poor and gravelly on the high lying lands and improving greatly in quality in the valleys; there is very little black soil and what there is is indifferent.

13. The rice lands are of fair quality similar in nature to the valley soils just referred to with often a considerable mixture of sand washed down from the higher lands during heavy rains.

Dry crops.

14. The crop grown on ¾th of the unirrigated land is ragi with intermediate rows of beans; the remainder is sown with horse-gram, smaller millets, and oil seeds, principally castor; tobacco is grown in small patches for home consumption near most villages.

Wet crops.

15. Rice of the usual varieties is the staple crop in the irrigated lands, and a good deal of sugar-cane is raised though to no very great extent in any one place; the largest stretches of cane are seen in the Tipsandra, Gudemarnhalli and Narsandra Magnis.

Garden crops.

16. The gardens occupy the best pieces of the irrigated land, but are for the most part carelessly cultivated, and may be considered of their kind inferior. Supari and cocoanuts are grown to a very limited extent; the best of these gardens are those below the Sankigatta and Bisgar tanks. In the other gardens betel-vine, plantains, sugar-cane and vegetables, interspersed with a few supari. cocoanut and fruit trees, are the usual crops.

17. There is a considerable area of mulberry garden, but the failure of the silk trade has caused a great portion of it to be either abandoned or left waste, some of it is being gradually devoted to other produce such as plantains, betel-vine, vegetables, ground-nut, &c.

Irrigation.

18. There is but little channel irrigation, and the wet lands are mostly watered from tanks and wells. Of the former those of Kempsagar, Hulikal, Mayisandra, Tipsandra, Narsandra, Sankigatta (out of repair) and Satnur, Kempsagar are the principal and in ordinary seasons hold water all the year round; the smaller tanks are very numerous, they vary greatly in size and quality, but generally hold water sufficient for one rice crop, and under some, with the aid of temporary water-holes, sugar-cane is raised. There is not I think a village in the whole taluk which does not possess one or more of these smaller tanks.

19. Wells are numerous and are generally used to aid the tank supply. They are seldom made with much care and very little expenditure has been incurred in making them. In a hill and valley country like that under consideration, their number might be increased to almost any extent.

Tenure.

20. The ordinary ryotwari tenure prevails. A great deal of the irrigated land, both rice and garden, is held by Brahmans and other non-cultivating classes, and let by them to sub-tenants on the ordinary half profit terms; the other terms of sub-letting are detailed in Mr. Butcher's report attached.

21. The high road from Bangalore to Hassan passes through the northern half of the taluk, a second class road from Bangalore through Kasba Magadi joins the first named near Tipsandra, and from the latter a branch road runs south to Huliyurdurga ; in all about 40 miles of made-road are contained in the taluk.

Roads.

22. Good fair-weather country roads exist throughout the northern magnis, and inferior ones, owing to the nature of the country, in the south ; the south-eastern part of the taluk is the worst off with regard to communications.

23 There are 9 market towns situated within the limits of the taluk, *viz.*—

Markets.

1. Magadi.
2. Kudur.
3. Chakrabhavi.
4. Solur.
5. Hulikal.
6. Gudemaranhalli.
7. Tipsandra.
8. Narsandra.
9. Motgondanhalli.

Of these, the first three named are the best attended. A good deal of business is carried on at Bangalore itself, that place being within two days' reach of any part of the taluk.

24. A good deal of iron is made in the neighbourhood of the hills where the two requisites of iron sand ore and charcoal are obtainable. The manufacture of brass utensils is carried on to some extent in the town of Magadi itself, and most of the large villages possess a few looms and produce native cloth, blankets and sacking cloth.

Manufactures.

25. A few years ago the trade in silk was considerable, but latterly from disease amongst the silk worms it has fallen almost to nothing ; this trade was carried on almost entirely by Musalmans, and principally in the southern magnis of the taluk.

26. The principal exports are grain, jaggery and oil seeds to Bangalore, to which place also a considerable amount of firewood goes from the south-eastern, and shendi from the western villages.

Exports and imports.

The imports are Birmingham and piece goods from Bangalore, whence also come the small amount of cocoanuts, chillies, tobacco, &c., required to make up the home consumption.

27. The following statement gives the statistical information collected by our classing officers during the progress of the work during the field seasons of 1877 and 78, but those years being those in which famine was most severe, the information is not of so much value as usual. Many of the inhabitants have died or disappeared since the first mentioned year, and during the second year many had emigrated to the coffee districts or relief works, and will, it is to be hoped, eventually return :—

Statistical information.

Number of Government Villages, Kavals and Forests.	Houses.	Population.	Square miles.	Cattle.	Carts.	Ploughs.	Market Towns.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
255	9,600	42,696	270	82,387	1,183	7,778	9	

28. The figures here given shew population of 158 to the square mile on the whole area of the Government portion of the taluk, or an average of 270 to the square mile on the culturable area only.

29. The following statements shew the area under cultivation and the collections thereon for the 25 years ending with 1876—77, and the prices that obtained for the principal articles of produce during the same period :—

MAGADI TALUK.

Past Collections, &c.

Year.	Area in Khandis.				Total Demand.	Remissions.	Total Collections.	Particulars of Past Collections.			Remarks.
	Dry Crops.	Rice.	Garden.	Total.				Nagadi.	Batayi.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1852—53	2,238	241	748	3,227	56,493	...	56,493	44,476	12,017	56,493	
1853—54	2,205	240	776	3,221	57,131	...	57,131	44,733	12,398	57,131	
1854—55	2,142	240	776	3,158	55,475	...	55,475	43,648	11,827	55,475	
1855—56	1,986	260	863	3,109	54,179	...	54,179	43,571	10,608	54,179	
1856—57	2,228	283	741	3,252	57,373	...	57,373	48,828	8,545	57,373	
1857—58	2,345	295	754	3,394	59,553	...	59,553	46,592	12,961	59,553	
1858—59	2,373	297	752	3,422	61,536	...	61,536	47,865	13,671	61,536	
1859—60	2,666	343	814	3,823	67,399	...	67,399	52,536	14,863	67,399	
1860—61	2,860	355	775	3,990	68,078	...	68,078	53,351	14,727	68,078	
1861—62	3,031	378	940	4,349	70,772	...	70,772	54,184	16,588	70,772	
1862—63	3,067	424	973	4,464	73,109	...	73,109	62,109	11,000	73,109	
1863—64	3,179	432	1,025	4,636	76,016	...	76,016	64,712	11,304	76,016	
1864—65	3,157	439	1,028	4,624	76,246	...	76,246	62,608	13,638	76,246	
1865—66	3,229	628	1,072	4,929	82,558	...	82,558	69,389	13,169	82,558	
1866—67	3,238	1,018	1,074	5,330	85,534	...	85,534	82,674	2,860	85,534	
1867—68	3,323	1,415	1,083	5,821	91,200	...	91,200	88,390	2,810	91,200	
1868—69	3,346	1,409	1,069	5,824	90,742	...	90,742	87,896	2,846	90,742	
1869—70	3,317	1,373	1,054	5,744	88,482	...	88,482	85,660	2,822	88,482	
1870—71	3,322	1,394	1,044	5,760	90,707	...	90,707	87,924	2,783	90,707	
1871—72	3,123	1,255	1,022	5,400	85,887	...	85,887	83,342	2,545	85,887	
1872—73	3,097	1,200	1,010	5,307	83,734	...	83,734	81,384	2,350	83,734	
1873—74	3,038	1,226	1,010	5,274	82,340	...	82,340	79,970	2,370	82,340	
1874—75	3,101	1,265	1,075	5,441	84,467	...	84,467	82,129	2,338	84,467	
1875—76	3,160	1,301	971	5,432	85,346*	...	85,346	83,026	2,320	85,346	
1876—77	3,199	1,321	1,040	5,560	84,844	19,131	65,713	65,713	,,	65,713	
Five years' average					84,146	Five years' average				80,320	
Ten years' average					86,775	Ten years' average				84,862	
Twenty years' average					79,427	Twenty years' average				78,471	
Twenty-five years' average					74,768	Twenty-five years' average				70,403	

* These remissions are on account of failure of crops, &c., granted during time of famine.

Year.	Rs. per Khandi.			Rs. per Maund.		Remarks.
	Rice.	Ragi.	Kulthi.	Jaggery.	Supari.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1852—53	6 14 5	1 9 3	2 4 11	0 14 0	3 3 9	
1853—54	8 4 1	1 12 11	2 13 1	0 13 7	3 3 3	
1854—55	8 15 10	2 9 0	5 0 0	0 12 5	3 1 5	
1855—56	9 12 7	3 7 3	4 13 9	0 15 1	3 4 1	
1856—57	8 3 8	3 2 0	5 13 0	1 1 2	2 14 0	
1857—58	9 2 8	3 10 6	5 11 10	1 14 0	2 15 10	
1858—59	13 9 6	5 15 10	7 5 11	1 9 11	4 15 6	
1859—60	11 7 2	5 14 6	6 5 10	1 6 5	4 15 0	
1860—61	12 12 0	5 0 4	5 14 8	1 7 4	4 12 4	
1861—62	14 7 8	5 6 2	6 8 0	1 4 4	3 12 0	
1862—63	12 15 4	4 10 4	5 15 2	1 15 0	4 8 8	
1863—64	14 8 9	5 11 5	6 5 4	1 3 0	7 9 0	Data not available from Taluk records, therefore prices prevalent in adjoining taluks entered for these years.
1864—65	17 12 5	5 5 4	9 6 7	1 9 0	7 9 0	
1865—66	20 0 0	7 9 11	8 0 0	1 13 0	9 4 0	
1866—67	26 10 8	16 0 0	16 0 0	2 4 0	9 8 0	
1867—68	20 0 0	11 6 10	10 0 0	1 14 0	9 15 0	
1868—69	20 0 0	6 15 4	8 0 0	1 8 0	9 9 0	
1869—70	17 12 5	5 2 7	5 14 5	2 0 0	8 3 0	
1870—71	16 0 0	2 14 7	4 8 8	1 9 4	9 1 4	
1871—72	12 1 8	2 2 6	4 5 6	1 4 4	5 6 9	
1872—73	11 15 8	2 8 1	4 14 8	1 5 4	5 3 0	
1873—74	12 10 4	3 3 6	6 6 8	1 8 6	4 7 4	
1874—75	13 0 4	3 3 0	6 2 0	1 7 4	4 8 8	
1875—76	14 6 8	4 8 4	6 12 4	1 7 4	4 15 8	
1876—77	19 10 4	12 13 8	15 8 4	1 8 0	6 13 8	

30. On examination of the above collection statement, it will be noticed that—

1*st*.—Until the last year under record 1876—77, there being no remissions, the total demand and total collections are identical, this is owing to the amount being fixed after the yearly jamabandi, and any remissions that may have then been granted not included in the demand.

2*nd*.—That the total revenue of the taluk increased regularly and in accordance with the increased value of agricultural produce up to the year 1867—68 and that since that year it has, although maintaining a higher average than previously, gradually declined from Rs. 91,000 to about 85,000 Rs.

3*rd*.—That the stopping of the batayi system in 1865—66 produced notable increase in the revenue; the rice area under kandayam according to the bijvari returns increased from about 900 acres in 1864—65 to about 2,900 in 1867—68 with a corresponding increase in the collections The bijvari area under batayi from 1852—53 to 1865—66 does not appear to be included in the above return.

31. The Amildar informs me that the old rates for giving out waste lands were as follows :—

Dry crop land from Rs. 0—14—0 to Rs. 0—7—0 per kudu=Rs. 1—5—6 to Rs. 0—10—9 per acre.

Wet land for cane cultivation, Rs. 1—4—0 to Rs. 1—0—0 per kudu=Rs. 12—8—0 to Rs 10—0—0 per acre.

Wet land for rice cultivation, Rs. 1—0—0 to Rs. 0—4—0 per kudu=Rs. 10—0—0 to Rs. 2—8—0 per acre.

Land for cultivation of mulberry from Rs. 0—14—0 to Rs. 0—8—0 if irrigated, and from Rs. 0—10—0 to Rs. 0—7—0 if unirrigated=Rs. 8—12—0 to Rs. 0—11—0 per acre.

These rates if really accurately applied would undoubtedly have been very heavy, but looking at the old average rates shewn in para 39 below, it is evident that their application was either altogether exceptional or that the measurement in giving out the land was made very liberally.

32. I applied to the Acting Deputy Commissioner of the District (Captain Gordon Cumming) as to any suggestions which he might wish to make concerning the revision of the assessment, and he in reply forwarded a report from the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the sub-division in which the Magadi Taluk is situated, to the effect that "in many cases the present rates are too high and there is no rate which is too low;" this opinion gave me little help in making out the revision proposed in this report.

33. In the last year entered in above collection statement 1876—77, out of total demand of 84,844, only 65,713 were collected, this exceptional case of remission was due to the late famine, and may be considered altogether abnormal; for the sake of comparing new and old rates, &c., hereafter, I have taken the total demand for 1876—77 as if, as in ordinary years, no remission had been granted.

34 For revising the assessment, I have divided the Taluk into three groups and propose to fix rates on the maxima shewn for these below.

Group.	Villages.	Dry Crop maximum.	Rice maximum.	Garden Maximum.
1	2	3	4	5
I	139	2—4—0	8—0—0	Rs 15 for tank irrigated and Rs. 8 for well irrigated.
II	77	2—0—0	8—0—0	
III	39	1—12—0	7—8—0	

In the first group are the villages situated near and between the high roads from Bangalore, which possess the greatest advantages with regard to access to markets.

In the second group are the villages touching the 1st group, but not quite so well situated.

In the third group are the villages to the north touching the Túmkúr Taluk where there are no made roads and where the rain-fall is estimated to be slightly inferior, and the villages to the south amongst the broken unhealthy country South of Savandurg.

35. The result of this assessment on the lands in occupation is tabulated in the following statement :—

Results of proposed rates on occupied lands.

Group or Class.	Number of villages.	Garden.			Rice.			Dry Crop.			Total.	
		Acres.	Assessment	Average rate.	Acres.	Assessment.	Average rate.	Acres.	Assessment.	Average rate.	Acres.	Assessment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I	139	1,221	5,138	4—3—4	2,392	9,228	3—13—9	38,597	41,391	1—1—2	42,210	55,757
II	77	828	3,919	4—11—9	1,442	5,774	4—0—1	18,660	18,418	0—15—9	20,930	28,111
III	39	247	1,117	4—8—4	783	3,073	3—14—9	9,041	8,514	0—15—1	10,071	12,704
3	255	2,296	10,174	4—6—11	4,617	18,075	3—14—8	66,298	68,323	1—0—6	73,211	96,572

NOTE—The higher average rates in the lower groups is owing to the intrinsic value of the soil, &c., being higher.

Result of proposed rates on waste lands.

36. The area and assessment of the waste lands available for cultivation are as follows :—

Group or Class.	Number of villages	Garden.			Rice.			Dry Crop.			Total.	
		Acres.	Assessment.	Average rate.	Acres.	Assessment.	Average rate.	Acres.	Assessment	Average rate.	Acres.	Assessment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I	139	46	113	2-7-4	460	1,751	3-12-11	10,763	9,291	0-13-10	11,269	11,155
II	77	65	226	3-7-8	475	2,007	4- 3- 7	3,987	3,539	0-14- 2	4,527	5,772
III	39	14	47	3-5-9	325	1,053	3- 3- 9	2,861	1,921	0-10- 9	3,200	3,021
3	255	125	386	3-1-5	1,260	4,811	3-13- 1	17,611	14,751	0-13- 5	18,996	19,948

Results of proposed rates on Minor Inam lands.

37. The extent and assessment of the Minor Inam lands situated in Government villages are shewn below :—

Group or Class.	Number of villages.	Garden.		Rice.		Dry Crop.		Total.	
		Acres.	Assessment.	Acres	Assessment.	Acres.	Assessment.	Acres.	Assessment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I	139	80	390	555	2,188	4,721	5,612	5,359	8,190
II	77	28	134	253	1,077	2,044	2,170	2,325	3,381
III	39	21	92	168	656	1,247	1,137	1,436	1,885
3	255	129	616	976	3,921	8,015	8,919	9,120	13,456

Result of the imposition of proposed rates on whole Taluk.

38. The next statement shews the result of the proposed rates on the whole arable area of the Government villages, occupied, waste and Inam.

Group or Class.	Number of villages.	Total demand for 1876—77.	Survey Area and Assessment, &c.									
			Government occupied.		Government Waste.		Total Waste and occupied.		Alienated lands.		Total Government and Inam.	
			Acres.	Assessment.	Acres.	Assessment.	Acres.	Assessment.	Acres.	Assessment.	Acres.	Assessment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I	139	47,957	42,210	55,757	11,269	11,155	53,479	66,912	5,359	8,190	58,838	75,102
II	77	25,519	20,930	28,111	4,527	5,772	25,457	33,883	2,325	3,381	27,782	37,264
III	39	11,368	10,071	12,704	3,200	8,021	13,271	15,725	1,436	1,885	14,707	17,610
3	255	84,844	73,211	96,572	18,996	19,948	92,207	116,520	9,120	13,456	101,327	1,29,976

Area of unassessed grazing lands, roads, village sites, &c.	71,644
Gross area of 68 Inam villages	28,140
Total area of the Magadi Taluk *i. e.* about 314 square miles	201,111

39. I will now compare the average rates of assessment for the whole Taluk class by class as formerly demanded, with those now proposed. The area ascertained by the Survey is the basis of calculation; in the old collections those on rice and garden not corresponding with our definitions of the same have for the sake of comparison been combined.

Comparison of old and new average rates.

Group.	Dry Crop.					Garden and Rice.				
	Survey Acres.	Old demand.	Survey Assessment.	Old average rate.	Survey average rate.	Survey acres.	Old Demand.	Survey Assessment.	Old average rate.	Survey average rate.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
I	38,597	32,132	41,391	0-13-4	1- 1-2	3,613	15,825	14,366	4-6 -1	3-15-7
II	18,660	15,626	18,418	0-13-5	0-15-9	2,270	9,893	9,693	4-5 -9	4- 4-4
III	9,041	6,803	8,514	0-12-0	0-15-1	1,030	4,565	4,190	4-6-11	4- 1-1
3	66,298	54,561	68,323	0-13-2	1- 0-6	6,913	30,283	28,249	4-6 -1	4- 1-5

40. The above are the average rates for the whole Taluk, and in para 34 above I have given the maxima rates from which they have been deduced, I will now shew approximately how the rates will fall on the most common descriptions of fields.

Explanation of how proposed rates will actually fall.

If situated in groups.	I			II			III.		
Average red soil which produces one crop of ragi every year will pay per acre about	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	15	0
Rice land capable of producing one crop of rice	3	10	0	3	10	0	3	6	0
Rice land capable of producing sugar-cane and rice in the ordinary rotation..	5	10	0	5	10	0	5	4	0

41. These are approximate rates only, variations in soil or water supply, distance of field from village, the size of the village, &c., will cause the actual rate to vary from that shewn above in accordance with the estimated value of advantage or disadvantage thereby derived.

42. The average assessment imposed on garden land is now shewn; the condition of one garden differs so much from another that it is impossible to shew more than the average rate; each garden has been assessed on its individual merits.

Average garden rates.

Tank irrigated garden .. Rs. 6 1 5
Well irrigated garden .. Rs. 3 10 4

43. The realizations for the year 1876—77 from grazing and fruit trees amounted to Rs. 1,951, and for the sake of comparison we may estimate the future collections from these sources to be of the same amount after the introduction of the Survey rates.

Grazing and Fruit trees.

44. In all probability the collections on account of grazing when sold under Survey rules will be found to increase, and the collections on fruit trees to decrease for the following reason.

45. It has hitherto been more or less the custom in this part of Mysore for certain fruit trees, usually tamarind and mango, situated both in occupied and waste lands, to be held on kandayam separate from the land on which they stand. The holders of these trees are generally the village officers or Brahmins, the amount paid insignificant, and the annoyance caused to the cultivators of the land often considerable; orders to stop this practice have I understand been given more than

once during past years, but have not generally been carried out; under the Survey all fruit trees go with the land, the land assessment covering both; and thus the increase in the land assessment covers a small loss under the head of "Fruit trees." Fruit trees in waste and unassessed lands are not under the Survey permitted to be held on separate patta, but their produce is sold yearly by auction.

Local Funds.

46. As regards the land only, the local cess of ½ anna in the rupee brought in a sum of Rs. 2,132 for the year 1876—77.

47. Under the Survey Settlement the realizations under the heads of local fund and irrigation cess on Minor Inam lands will be as follows:—

	Rs.
Local cess of one anna on cultivated lands	6,036
Do . on Minor Inam lands	841
Equivalent of irrigation cess on do	267
Total Rs.....	7,144

Total results of the Settlement.

48. Comparison of the demand under all heads of land revenue for the year 1876—77 with those estimated for the year succeeding the introduction of the Survey Settlement is here made.

	Rs.
Land Revenue 1876—77	84,844
Grazing and fruit trees	1,954
Half anna local cess	2,132
Total Rs.....	88,930
Survey assessment of occupied lands	96,572
Grazing and fruit trees	1,954
One anna local cess	6,036
Do do on Minor Inams	841
Equivalent of irrigation cess	267
Total Rs.....	1,05,670

49. The gross increase in the demands under the head of land revenue, excluding local cesses, &c., is Rs. 11,728 from this the sum of about Rs. 1,662 will have to be credited to the District Irrigation Fund and about Rs. 6,000 will be required for the payment of village officers. The net gain to Government therefore on the above figures is about Rs. 4,000.

District Irrigation Fund.

50. As noted above Rs. 1,662 on account of the Government irrigated lands and Rs. 267 on account of the equivalent of irrigation cess on Minor Inams, total Rs. 1,929, will have to be credited to the District Irrigation Fund.

Pay of Village Officers.

51. Under the scale laid down in Chief Commissioner's order No. 219 of 27th October 1874, the pay of the village officers has been estimated at Rs. 6,700. The amount of "profit from service lands" may amount to about Rs. 400, and their present pay is Rs. 159—12—0, which will leave about Rs. 6,000 to be made good out of the treasury.

Grain payments of village officers.

52. The following are the "*Mirasi haks*" or payments of grain, &c., made by the ryots direct to the village officers at present, and which will cease to be levied after the introduction of the Survey Settlement; those to the village servants toti, talari, nirganti, &c., will continue as heretofore.

The Patels as a rule receive nothing.

The Shanbhogs receive Rs. 0—4—8 in cash yearly from each ryot, and also a small quantity of grain, the quantity undefined and dependent on the strength of character of the Shanbhog and the wealth and generosity of the ryot. On batayi cultivation the Shanbhog receives one Kudu (8 seers,) of rice for each khandi (about 2 acres) of land sown.

Specimen villages shewing increase or decrease.

53. As our Survey assessment affects different villages to a different degree as compared with what they have hitherto paid, I will here notice a few in which the difference is considerable in order to shew that the difference is due to the want of system in the old rates and not to inequality on the part of the proposed assessment.

In detail Statement B. No.	Class.	Names of Villages.	Old Assessment.	Survey Assessment.	Percentage of Increase and Decrease.	Average Garden Rate.	Average Rice Rate.	Average Dry Crop Rate.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Increased Villages.						
71	I	Lingdasenhalli	23	76	230	2 0 0	..	0 13 4
76	I	Bachenhalli	366	743	103	...	...	0 14 8
54	II	Tavarekeri	381	631	66	2 10 8	3 14 5	1 0 11
26	III	Kanamur	441	694	57	4 14 5	3 6 11	0 14 11
		Decreased Villages.						
19	II	Nailpetna	34	18	47	...	...	0 12 6
29	II	Bamvada	1,541	1,302	16	4 6 0	3 14 3	0 15 10
67	II	Mutkadhalli	292	244	16	3 8 0	4 4 7	1 0 1
22	III	Virpapura	471	343	27	4 10 8	5 4 0	1 2 3

54. The rates proposed above fit in with those already sanctioned for the adjoining settled Taluks of Tumkúr, Nelamangala and Bangalore, and also with the previously settled villages of the Taluk under report.

55. The special advantages which the Magadi Taluk possess are—

1st, the high road from Bangalore to Hassan, which passes through its centre, and along which there is considerable traffic and consequent demand for straw, &c.

2nd, its vicinity to Bangalore; this besides affording an advantageous market for ordinary field produce, enables the ordinary ryot to hire out his carts and bullocks to advantage during the, as regards agricultural operations, idle season of the year, and gives the poorer classes opportunities of disposing of firewood and other surplus minor produce, for which otherwise there would be little demand.

Grazing and Cattle.

56. The large extent of hill, and, I am sorry to observe this year, of waste land affords ample grazing for more cattle than the people now possess. A great number of cattle have always been bred in this district, the bullocks are of the ordinary description, but the milch cows have the reputation of being a good deal above the average, the number of cattle here as elsewhere has greatly decreased during the past years of famine. Sheep are bred to some extent principally in the Northern Maguis where the country is more open; they meet with a ready sale in Bangalore.

Amrut Mahal Kaval.

57. There are twenty Amrut Mahal Kavals in the Magadi Taluk, and in some of them there is a considerable amount of cultivated land over which the Amrut Mahal Department possesses certain grazing rights; under the provisions of Chief Commissioner's No. 4615—87 of 20th July 1877, these lands on the introduction of the Survey Settlement becoming kandayam lands, would as such cease to belong in any way to the Kaval Department. As the whole question of the constitution of the Kavals is now under the consideration of Government, I am doubtful whether the order referred to above should be carried into effect at the coming settlement or held in abeyance until final orders settling the entire question are issued, and should feel obliged by instructions being issued on this subject.

58. I am unable now to state in how many of the so called Amrut Mahal Kavals that Department possesses grazing right. In the original Dehajhada furnished by the Amildar, 35 Kavals were entered as Amrut Mahal. Of these at time of measurement, 15 were found to be small patches of waste land of which the grazing was yearly sold for the benefit of Government; these being clearly not Amrut Mahal Kavals were measured by us into the adjoining villages to which they were stated originally to have belonged and whose names they still bore. In the remaining 20 Kavals the Amrut Mahal Department either possessed rights or there was doubt on the subject, and consequently they were measured as separate villages and left for disposal at time of settlement. The absorbtion of the 15 Kavals above referred to has caused a discrepancy between our total of villages and the number shewn in the Amildar's original Dehajhada.

Rectification of Taluk Boundary.

59. The portion of the Magadi Taluk referred to in this report is compact on all sides, and the only alteration advisable is the transfer of the isolated village of Vadvatta of the Madbal Magni to the Closepet Taluk in which it is situated; a glance at the Taluk Map enclosed will shew the advisability of this proposition.

60. With regard to the settled portion of the Taluk, the present boundary is excessively irregular, and with reference to it, I beg to propose transfers as shewn below ; I may mention that in February 1875, the Officiating Commissioner, Nundydroog, proposed certain transfers amongst these villages, but on my representation agreed that it would be preferable to await the submission of this report when the whole question of the rectification of the taluk boundaries concerned might be dealt with once for all.

61. To exemplify the transfers proposed, I beg to attach copy of the map of the old Kengeri Taluk in which the villages colored red now belong to the Magadi Taluk, those green to Closepet, and those white to Bangalore ; the thick blue line is the boundary which I now propose.

From			To
Magadi Taluk	...	Lingdiranhalli (Kayamgutta)	Bangalore Taluk.
		Kannelli	
Magadi Taluk	...	Gangodihalli (Jodi)	Nelamangala Taluk.
		Lakinhalli (Kayamgutta)	
		Bel-Konenhalli	
		Machohalli (Jodi)	
		Kachchalli	
Bangalore Taluk	...	Ajanpalya*	Magadi Taluk.
		Seshagiripur	
Closepet Taluk	...	Sulevara	Magadi Taluk.
		Sulevar Rampur	
		Karigiripur	
		Muddenpalya*	
		Punagmaranhalli	
		Ketohalli...	
		„ Narsipur (Kayamgutta) ...	
		„ Rampur	
		Kolur	
		„ Gorgenpura (Kayamgutta) ...	
		„ Nanjundpur (Do) ...	
		Chikelur*	
		„ Rampura (Kayamgutta) ...	
		„ Venkatpur (Do) ...	

The above Government villages as portion of the old Kengeri Taluk have already come under the Survey Settlement, with the exception of those marked * which having been formerly considered inam have only lately been declared to be Government ; the settlement of these latter is in hand.

Statement A shewing all the Inam villages is appended.

62. As desired by Chief Commissioner in para 44 of his No. 1115—316 of 1st February 1877, a list of all the inam villages found to exist in the portion of the Taluk now under report is appended, with remarks as to the way in which each has been treated by us with regard to Survey.

Mr. Butcher's Report attached.

63. Supplementary Report by Mr. Butcher, who was in charge of the classification operation in this Taluk, is also appended.

Conclusion.

64. In conclusion I beg that sanction to the proposals contained in this report may be obtained in time to permit me to introduce the Survey Settlement into the Magadi Taluk about the month of May next

APPENDIX A.

List of Inam Villages in the Magadi Taluk of the Bangalore District.

	Name of Villages.	Description of Inam.	How disposed of by the Survey.
1	2	3	4
1	Gaurapura *...	Sarvamanya	Detail Survey.
2	Vittalapura	Jodi inam	Valuation Survey.
3	Udavagere	Do	Do
4	Nyatenhalli	Do	Do
5	Rangenhalli	Do	Do
6	Gundepalya	Do	Do
7	Sidagenhalli	Do	Do
8	Nagshettihalli	Do	Do
9	Byadrahalli	Do	Do
10	Hulvenhalli	Do	Do
11	Bolenhalli	Do	Do
12	Totgaruballi	Do	Do
13	Chanapura	Do	Do
14	Subshashtripalya *alias* Kariyanpalya ...	Do	Do
15	Tyagadarepalya	Do	Traverse Survey.
16	Karlhallipalya	Do	Do
17	Subrayebyadraballi	Do	Valuation Survey
18	Kempsagar	Do	Do
19	Mainnikanhalli	Do	Do
20	Basvapatna	Do	Do
21	Vardohalli	Do	Do
22	Sigikuppi	Do	Do
23	Rangnathpura	Do	Do
24	Anneshashtripalya	Do	Do
25	Hebalalu	Do	Do
26	Raghavanpalya	Do	Do
27	Machohalli	Do	Do
28	Dandenhalli	Do	Do
29	Kamsagar	Do	Do
30	Byadrahalli	Do	Do
31	Parvatanpalya	Do	Do
32	Chenvalli	Do	Do
33	Timsandra	Do	Do
34	Mallapura	Do	Do
35	Kalhattipalya	Do	Do
36	Kuppemala	Do	Do
37	Kodihalli	Do	Do
38	Mumenhalli	Do	Do
39	Kotgondanhalli	Do	Do
40	Tipgondanhalli	Do	Do
41	Tirmlapura	Do	Do
42	Bamenhalli	Do	Do
43	Pemanhalli	Do	Do
44	Mariyenhalli...	Do	Do
45	Torchennanhalli	Do	Do
46	Gollarpalya	Do	Do
47	Vardanhalli	Do	Do
48	Vadahalli	Do	Do
49	Kattadevanhalli	Do	Do
50	Mallenhalli	Do	Do
51	Nagarmavinakatte	Kayamgutta	Traverse Survey.
52	Betadadasipalya	Do	Do
53	Rangacharpalya	Do	Do
54	Papashashtripalya	Do	Do
55	Basvenhalli	Do	Do
56	Pallohalli	Do	Do
57	Goddanhalli *alias* Subanhalli ...	Do	Do
58	Sadamarnhalli	Do	Do
59	Dandgenpura....	Do	Do
60	Aladkatti	Do	Do
61	Huchikalla	Do	Do
62	Krishnapura	Do	Do
63	Mallappanhalli	Do	Do
64	Kalyanpura ... *	Do	Detail Survey.
65	Gangenpura *alias* Rangenpura ...	Do	Do
66	Malikarjanpalya	Do	Traverse Survey.
67	Kempapura	Do	Do
68	Katalu ... *	Do	Detail Survey.

APPENDIX A.—Statement shewing the Area, Cultivation, Cattle, Carts, Ploughs, Houses, Taluk of the Bangalore District, reported on in Survey Superintendent's

Class.					By Survey Accounts.											
								Government, Cultivated.				Government, Waste.				
Dry Crop.	Rice.	Garden.	Number.	Name of Village.	Total area.	Inam, acres.	Unarable.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Past collection on cultivated lands.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
First Class, Dry Crop lands, Maximum rate ... Rs. 2 4 0			1	Kasba Magadi ...	877	148	210	74	27	408	509	1	...	9	10	525
			2	Gumsandra ...	285	6	68	16	1	180	197	..	..	14	14	263
			3	Somakkan Mattah ...	287	...	64	5	4	150	168	...	...	55	55	153
			4	Malinhalli ...	260	...	77	2	3	170	175	...	...	8	8	115
			5	Balikatti ...	633	...	426	2	8	152	162	2	1	40	43	175
			6	Katwala ...	461	66	101	1	26	267	294	...	..	...	..	176
			7	Tagadikuppi ...	1,356	16	909	8	24	382	414	...	...	17	17	512
			8	Dubgotigi ...	1,249	44	713	..	13	429	442	...	...	50	50	440
			9	Byalkera ...	4,349	174	499	13	53	464	530	..	..	146	146	803
			10	Harti ...	1,962	88	1,144	21	33	618	672	...	8	50	58	774
			11	Belgumba ...	915	34	561	1	1	311	313	...	...	7	7	338
			12	Panjarhalli ...	269	4	120	3	1	141	145	...	...	...	...	103
			13	Sigipalya ...	178	...	109	...	3	66	69	...	...	...	...	69
			14	Kanchigarnhalli ...	209	8	98	...	..	93	93	...	1	11	10	89
			15	Tirmale ...	1,253	209	469	10	13	528	561	1	..	15	16	426
			16	Venglapanhalli ..	308	...	203	...	4	87	91	...	...	12	12	56
			17	Vajahalli ...	454	...	387	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	67	...
			18	Maralgonda ...	1,105	...	626	3	..	406	407	..	..	72	72	357
			19	Chelur Rayanpete ...	16	...	2	..	...	13	13	...	...	...	...	17
			20	Vaddarpalya ...	284	6	61	...	6	184	190	...	...	27	27	138
			21	Chigtarhalli ...	425	...	402	...	...	16	16	..	...	...	...	23
			22	Karagadhalli ...	223	73	90	...	1	55	56	...	...	4	4	44
			23	Hoshalli ...	827	42	304	8	38	401	447	...	...	34	34	538
			24	Bachapura ...	645	31	297	5	14	297	316	..	1	...	1	370
			25	Timsandra ...	633	8	322	1	5	270	279	...	...	24	24	273
			26	Pinakanakallu ..	847	31	508	2	7	168	177	..	...	41	41	127
			27	Vishvanathpura ...	370	14	127	...	14	169	183	...	3	43	46	174
			28	Chandurayanhalli ...	350	21	83	6	19	220	245	...	1	...	1	228
			29	Kasba Satnur ...	1,069	291	231	72	134	272	478	1	17	51	69	1,343
			30	Agalketi ...	1,176	90	388	59	26	543	628	...	3	67	70	1,014
			31	Donarkuppi ...	546	27	97	26	12	368	406	3	1	9	13	440
			32	Hulikatti ...	621	21	87	8	20	276	304	1	..	208	209	272
			33	Tubmaketi ..	741	81	299	24	8	292	324	2	...	15	17	436
			34	Vartihalli ...	664	...	510	8	3	180	191	1	...	182	183	155
			35	Devarsanpalya ...	212	...	136	...	...	78	78	...	...	...	...	39
			36	Kondhalli ...	655	2	341	6	10	289	305	.	...	7	7	245
			37	Halsettihalli ...	618	94	184	22	26	296	338	1	1	...	2	447
			38	Kalladgrama ...	1,418	282	257	38	122	712	870	...	2	7	9	1,187
			39	Ujurti ...	587	17	247	4	6	265	275	4	...	44	48	308
			40	Chittanhalli ...	744	45	184	11	37	444	492	1	4	18	23	447
			41	Halsinganhalli .	703	12	362	7	8	221	231	1	...	97	98	174
			42	Balerigrama ...	1,172	55	403	3	28	273	304	5	3	402	410	379
			43	Harohalli ...	450	43	77	6	26	283	315	...	15	...	15	300
			44	Kodipalya ...	94	..	52	2	1	39	42	...	...	...	...	56
			45	Sripathihalli ...	876	98	270	15	5	481	501	1	...	8	9	565
			46	Gudemarnhalli ...	1,243	207	540	68	61	531	660	...	...	36	36	1,444
			47	Birwara ...	576	18	118	7	27	250	284	..	...	156	156	355
			48	Udandhalli ...	671	62	143	8	17	352	377	...	...	88	89	396
			49	Hoshalli ...	600	16	122	1	14	166	182	...	...	280	280	247
			50	Naganhalli ...	459	22	122	1	2	293	296	...	...	19	19	268
			51	Marihuppi ...	769	15	240	7	13	349	369	1	...	144	145	389
			52	Kansandra ...	408	13	128	4	15	138	157	...	2	108	110	165
			53	Kormangla ...	635	56	153	5	24	260	289	...	12	125	137	300
			54	Basvanhalli ...	1,575	21	486	6	33	580	619	3	3	443	449	685
			55	Gorgeshwarpura ...	727	27	365	2	16	200	218	...	...	117	117	292
			56	Hukinalu ...	616	62	220	1	23	263	287	...	...	47	47	464
			57	Metgondanhalli ...	1,439	83	739	63	11	472	546	1	...	70	71	944
			58	Gollarpalya ...	157	6	12	1	...	122	123	...	...	10	16	104
			59	Madapatna ...	898	23	652	2	17	204	223	...	...	...	...	254
			60	Hulsvenhalli ...	1,215	44	708	7	24	432	463	...	...	...	...	611
			61	Ganapathihalli ...	282	25	38	3	16	202	221	...	...	...	...	174
			62	Doleri ...	1,769	58	757	16	9	854	881	...	...	13	13	822
			63	Chikanhalli ...	1,359	34	861	14	24	405	443	...	11	4	15	511
			64	Sultur ...	1,234	66	654	7	14	471	492	...	...	22	22	528
			65	Pura ...	1,373	58	638	12	39	521	572	2	29	74	105	494
			66	Gurhalli ...	965	...	673	...	3	273	276	...	...	16	16	195
			67	Kudlamangla ...	1,212	6	455	8	18	557	583	2	...	166	168	502
			68	Virapura ...	459	...	303	1	...	155	156	...	...	...	...	110
			69	Chikmaskallu ...	588	...	451	...	...	125	125	..	...	12	12	99
			70	Dodmaskallu ...	270	...	188	...	...	78	78	...	...	4	4	45
			71	Singdasanhalli ...	384	...	294	1	...	89	90	...	...	...	...	23
			72	Shanbhoganhalli ...	632	6	317	1	...	308	309	...	...	...	...	194

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Population and past and proposed Survey Assessment of the 255 Villages of the Magadi letter No. 201, dated 28th February 1879.

Survey Kamal or Standard Assessment.								Cattle.			Carts.						
Government, Cultivated.				Government, Waste.													
Total Assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands.	Assessment on dry croplands.	Total Assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands.	Assessment on dry crop lands.	Agricultural.	Other Cattle.	Total.	Small.	Large, Halli Bandie.	Total.	Population.	Number of Houses.	Ploughs.	Remarks.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35
956	336	114	506	14	2	...	12	128	656	784	...	10	10	3,486	687	64	
280	71	2	216	11	...	...	11	62	213	275	...	...	...	172	45	31	
188	13	17	158	42	1	...	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
178	6	11	161	4	...	...	4	30	93	123	12	4	16	61	14	15	
190	5	30	155	50	5	4	41	8	70	78	...	...	...	16	3	4	
408	2	91	310	...	...	...	...	56	351	407	...	...	...	106	23	28	
520	27	96	397	11	...	...	11	118	608	726	9	8	17	237	38	59	
519	...	47	472	40	1	...	39	70	267	337	12	...	12	148	32	70	
822	57	189	576	124	...	...	124	111	432	573	1	2	3	288	103	55	
883	132	112	639	67	...	...	42	78	365	443	...	...	...	219	75	39	
348	1	2	345	5	...	...	5	82	306	388	...	...	...	199	54	41	
125	5	2	118	...	...	...	...	8	7	15	...	...	...	11	2	4	
75	...	11	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
91	...	...	91	12	...	2	10	12	38	50	...	...	...	28	5	6	
623	36	34	553	24	3	...	21	128	1,139	1,267	...	24	24	2,002	322	61	
78	...	11	67	8	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	25	...	...	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
383	3	...	380	8	...	...	8	64	177	241	12	2	14	131	31	32	
13	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
209	1	19	189	15	...	...	15	16	27	43	2	...	2	57	11	8	
10	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
54	1	4	49	3	1	...	2	25	21	43	3	...	3	47	13	8	
564	36	132	396	25	...	...	25	51	286	337	3	1	4	141	31	26	
350	15	47	288	2	...	2	...	103	360	463	1	8	9	144	33	51	
301	2	23	276	23	...	...	23	40	89	129	5	...	5	45	11	20	
158	7	19	132	29	...	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
232	...	51	181	52	...	...	41	17	49	66	...	...	...	26	6	8	
327	30	83	214	4	...	...	4	33	107	140	5	...	5	82	15	16	
1,450	394	702	354	151	3	...	87	61	180	617	797	14	1	15	302	76	88
935	204	108	620	75	...	...	11	64	155	292	447	5	...	5	359	84	66
437	71	34	332	17	6	2	9	50	153	203	1	...	1	103	26	25	
384	22	83	279	182	2	...	180	66	434	500	2	...	2	98	25	33	
453	92	28	333	16	3	...	13	88	466	554	1	1	2	153	40	30	
216	17	8	191	151	2	...	149	12	70	82	...	...	...	12	3	6	
79	...	...	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
389	15	42	332	5	...	...	5	54	231	285	...	...	...	136	26	27	
510	64	96	350	7	1	6	...	78	245	323	...	...	...	172	38	38	
1,465	179	522	764	14	...	6	8	231	513	761	7	9	16	567	187	193	
311	8	21	282	43	7	...	36	43	79	122	...	...	...	81	18	22	
620	35	125	460	29	3	13	13	43	205	248	1	...	1	103	24	21	
270	16	8	246	79	4	...	75	32	261	293	1	1	2	74	12	16	
414	8	114	292	363	...	11	352	44	150	194	...	3	3	80	16	23	
375	18	72	287	47	...	47	...	66	132	298	6	...	6	186	38	33	
50	4	2	44	...	...	...	...	12	91	103	...	...	...	15	4	6	
602	38	19	545	1	1	...	...	120	241	361	2	1	3	302	81	60	
1,382	438	257	687	38	...	...	38	243	803	1,046	7	8	15	1,033	268	10	
416	22	104	290	149	...	...	149	54	313	367	4	...	4	149	21	70	
503	23	53	422	77	...	...	77	33	98	131	...	...	...	73	19	16	
238	7	45	186	243	...	...	243	77	379	456	7	...	7	198	30	38	
378	50	4	325	15	...	...	15	70	182	252	7	...	7	168	36	35	
382	1	42	339	110	2	...	108	70	334	404	2	...	2	142	20	31	
234	6	55	168	118	...	6	112	42	174	216	3	1	4	89	15	21	
406	19	93	194	171	...	45	126	88	415	503	8	...	8	203	32	41	
864	25	100	503	275	11	8	336	164	989	1,153	3	...	3	345	77	82	
251	6	45	200	126	...	...	126	72	414	486	1	...	1	140	28	36	
402	5	91	306	34	...	...	34	114	417	531	10	...	10	257	61	57	
888	316	36	540	58	1	...	50	445	1,018	1,224	11	27	38	1,089	285	102	
106	3	...	104	10	...	...	10	10	48	58	1	2	3	23	4	5	
277	8	62	207	...	...	...	...	62	313	375	7	...	7	118	29	31	
569	20	85	464	...	...	...	...	119	428	547	14	...	14	254	65	39	
245	9	49	197	...	...	...	...	81	228	308	...	...	...	109	25	40	
921	72	28	821	9	...	...	9	107	163	270	15	1	16	170	69	52	
516	60	74	382	38	...	36	2	40	190	230	5	...	5	125	30	20	
576	27	49	500	20	...	...	20	74	185	259	10	...	10	167	36	37	
755	55	172	528	210	4	131	75	99	520	619	3	28	31	130	34	37	
270	...	11	259	15	...	...	15	42	149	191	6	...	6	59	14	21	
642	31	68	543	129	5	...	124	86	436	522	14	...	14	141	32	42	
139	4	...	135	...	...	...	...	66	619	685	10	...	10	119	22	33	
117	1	...	116	10	...	...	10	38	222	260	8	...	8	52	12	19	
68	1	...	67	2	...	...	2	16	106	122	3	...	3	36	10	8	
76	2	...	74	...	...	...	...	10	21	31	2	...	2	12	2	5	
284	2	...	282	...	...	...	...	46	241	287	...	...	...	99	17	23	

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Class.					By Survey Accounts.											
								Government, Cultivated.				Government, Waste.				
Dry Crop.	Rice.	Garden.	Number.	Name of Village.	Total area.	Inam, acres.	Unarable.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Past collection on cultivated lands.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
First Class, Dry Crop lands, Maximum rate ... Rs. 2 4 0			73	Taguchikuppi ...	423	...	239			184	184	...	...	...	...	94
			74	Kallur ...	1,475	...	986	2	..	466	468	...	...	21	21	452
			75	Adkimarnhalli ..	833	...	432	...	...	391	391	...	...	13	13	298
			76	Bachenhalli ...	2,096	4	1,145	...	...	809	809	...	...	135	135	365
			77	Kasba Solur ...	1,071	297	244	23	42	396	463	...	44	23	67	342
			78	Gorur ..	843	82	155	6	24	402	432	...	...	171	171	426
			79	Totkeri ...	691	31	90	...	13	329	342	...	...	228	228	301
			80	Muppenhalli ...	793	31	178	2	24	264	289	...	...	295	295	381
			81	Kankanhalli ..	544	20	55	1	7	326	334	...	11	124	135	245
			82	Tuppadyaiya .	374	.	146	2	6	133	141	...	...	87	87	88
			83	Bharatpura ...	246	17	67	2	25	111	138	...	...	24	24	136
			84	Lakkenhalli ...	1,278	70	208	8	31	627	602	1	1	336	338	659
			85	Ramanhalli ...	238	20	28	2	11	137	150	..	..	31	31	170
			86	Rangampalya .	189	..	41	...	1	147	148	..	..	.	.	9
			87	Baichapura ..	168	...	50	3	3	58	61	..	.	57	57	71
			88	Lingenhalli ...	199	13	10	1	2	85	63	.	.	111	111	94
			89	Bitsandra ...	404	2	75	5	26	266	297	.	2	28	30	306
			90	Yenigeri ...	1,161	139	116	2	33	445	478	.	1	417	428	546
			91	Waddarhalli ...	419	8	43	8	15	211	234	.	.	161	164	195
			92	Chikkanhalli ..	273	19	46	.	9	118	127	.	.	81	81	84
			93	Chiksolur ...	747	74	201	8	34	305	347	.	1	126	127	401
			94	Kudlur ...	490	70	86	1	41	263	305	.	2	24	26	542
			95	Soundevanhalli .	605	25	187	.	3	254	257	.	.	134	134	174
			96	Heganhalli ...	355	8	79	1	3	195	202	.	4	62	66	183
			97	Vanibhattanhatti ...	433	19	43	1	6	157	164	.	.	202	202	176
			98	Atimkunti ...	661	38	101	.	22	274	296	.	.	253	253	290
			99	Narsandra ...	1,412	138	522	30	87	465	582	...	.	170	170	1,020
			100	Mauiganhalli ...	1,224	101	382	26	55	497	578	.	.	163	163	895
			101	Marur ...	624	20	68	14	27	272	313	.	.	223	254	476
			102	Vajarhalli ...	677	27	37	6	16	241	270	.	.	23	23	337
			103	Chilur ...	1,791	10	991	6	44	333	373	.	.	17	17	806
			104	Kalsandra ..	991	11	340	13	17	448	518	...	.	122	122	387
			105	Madigondanhalli .	1,206	33	626	12	23	432	467	.	2	78	80	511
			106	Kempohalli ...	163	9	27	3	5	173	182	.	.	45	45	158
			107	Hanmapura ...	346	5	114	1	19	151	171	.	.	38	38	228
			108	Aladkatti .	248	5	88	.	.	127	127	.	.	28	28	121
			109	Kenchanpura ...	315	.	4	1	1	145	147	.	.	120	120	149
			110	Komarpura ...	472	.	189	1	.	98	99	.	.	188	188	69
			111	Surpanhalli .	733	.	192	5	.	218	223	.	.	318	318	201
			112	Bisalhalli ...	412	26	96	13	29	273	315	1	.	32	33	285
			113	Maligunti .	721	15	414	1	15	201	217	.	.	75	75	260
			114	Bharatpura ...	534	6	68	2	8	201	211	...	.	49	49	146
			115	Krishnarajpura .	363	.	126	4	10	85	101	.	.	136	138	105
			116	Damanktte ..	23	3	27	2	9	153	164	.	.	41	41	150
			117	Kasba Tipsandra .	1,912	209	689	92	74	568	734	2	169	109	280	1,272
			118	Mutsagara ..	472	34	50	24	10	267	301	.	.	27	27	418
			119	Kadigeri ...	747	175	101	11	98	263	372	.	.	98	98	616
			120	Chikmudigeri ...	379	7	22	8	.	217	225	.	.	125	125	254
			121	Kenchanhalli ...	279	21	45	8	18	151	177	.	.	36	36	238
			122	Malsandra .	527	...	43	5	4	260	269	...	.	216	215	205
			123	Talkeri ...	1,008	83	217	3	36	535	583	...	...	123	123	508
			124	Marsomanhalli .	285	11	33	10	9	195	214	...	...	27	27	245
			125	Chikalli .	678	64	90	2	16	443	461	1	8	6	14	489
			126	Aindalli ...	319	16	32	2	.	129	131	1	.	35	46	103
			127	Angajanhalli ..	129	8	17	3	1	79	83	...	.	21	21	89
			128	Shrinivaspura .	36	...	1	...	...	35	35	...	...	...	...	29
			129	Jaginkeri ...	695	128	125	13	62	256	331	...	95	11	106	565
			130	Siddapur ..	298	9	22	2	7	135	144	...	...	53	53	143
			131	Iyanageri ...	527	24	85	25	15	352	392	6	.	20	26	352
			132	Sivansandra .	1,254	17	224	10	12	412	434	1	.	578	579	510
			133	Kempapura .	235	6	54	14	17	156	187	.	.	8	8	234
			134	Dodsomanhalli ...	387	31	50	7	22	284	313	...	.	3	3	459
			135	Komsagar kaval ...	21	...	...	...	...	21	21	...	.	...	...	...
			136	Dandenhalli kaval	90	...	17	...	...	73	73	...	.	...	...	13
			137	Baginkeri kaval ...	428	...	388	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	75
			138	Honge kaval ...	228	...	170	7	17	20	50	...	2	6	8	90
			139	Kalari kaval ...	3,731	..	2,078	17	39	1,214	1,270	...	..	386	386	1,284
			139	Total.....	98,515	5,359	37,677	1,221	2,392	38,397	42,210	46	400	10,763	11,209	47,937

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Survey Kamal or Standard Assessment.								Cattle.			Carts.						
Government, Cultivated.				Government, Waste.													
Total assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands.	Assessment on dry crop lands.	Total assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands.	Assessment on dry crop lands.	Agricultural.	Other Cattle.	Total.	Small.	Large, Halli Bandy.	Total.	Population.	Number of Houses.	Ploughs.	Remarks.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	
158	2	..	156	...	...	..	...	12	23	35	...	3	3	20	5	6	
467	7	...	460	16	...	...	16	140	702	842	28	...	28	259	54	70	
350	1	.	349	10	...	...	10	50	120	170	5	25	30	118	30	25	
743	...	.	743	116	...	..	116	66	313	379	1	17	18	142	37	33	
755	102	176	477	104	1	154	29	156	332	488	1	..	1	719	191	78	
527	21	78	427	155	...	..	155	120	459	579	10	...	10	220	72	108	
404	1	49	354	194	...	..	194	124	608	732	13	..	13	203	55	62	
394	5	85	304	252	..	..	252	98	695	793	2	..	2	220	54	49	
995	2	28	365	173	...	38	135	62	210	272	5	...	5	159	42	31	
149	7	17	132	72	..	..	72	..	..	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	
234	8	89	137	25	..	..	25	22	79	101	..	..	..	43	8	11	
893	38	112	685	303	7	2	294	178	508	684	3	..	3	418	86	70	
198	7	38	153	32	..	..	32	31	40	71	3	1	4	55	12	16	
150	...	2	148	..	...	...	..	6	45	51	..	..	..	19	1	3	
85	..	11	74	56	..	..	56	20	80	100	..	..	..	39	4	10	
98	4	32	62	106	..	..	106	24	173	197	..	..	..	31	4	12	
457	23	98	337	39	..	..	83	75	162	237	6	..	6	202	27	56	
661	10	144	507	408	..	4	404	162	567	729	13	..	13	326	95	81	
327	40	55	232	143	..	..	143	60	178	238	..	..	..	167	37	30	
156	1	34	121	69	..	..	69	18	57	75	3	..	3	44	9	9	
530	29	125	376	123	2	..	121	103	744	852	5	..	5	223	34	..	
491	2	180	309	33	6	..	27	119	194	313	..	2	2	206	51	57	
294	1	11	282	114	..	..	114	52	600	652	..	..	..	84	17	28	
221	3	11	207	71	...	15	56	46	226	272	..	..	..	88	15	23	
193	4	21	168	170	..	..	170	58	363	421	6	..	6	124	19	78	
362	..	70	292	217	..	..	217	112	721	833	7	21	28	152	28	56	
982	150	356	476	143	..	..	143	113	216	329	16	..	16	424	86	71	
973	110	198	670	134	..	2	137	209	1,336	1,545	15	..	15	591	78	102	
509	60	98	349	155	..	..	155	172	1,156	1,328	10	..	10	310	69	73	
377	25	91	261	13	..	..	13	92	747	839	..	..	..	193	38	44	
568	18	206	344	13	..	..	13	84	427	511	..	..	..	169	34	42	
598	50	47	501	85	..	..	85	66	180	246	8	1	9	178	75	33	
506	53	68	445	66	..	6	60	203	1,233	1,436	15	6	21	554	136	89	
199	10	8	181	26	1	..	25	34	172	206	1	..	1	69	12	17	
242	6	69	168	24	..	..	23	40	155	195	..	..	..	76	15	20	
137	1	...	136	23	..	..	23	34	160	194	..	1	1	61	24	17	
163	1	4	163	80	..	..	80	60	390	450	1	4	5	86	25	30	
104	3	...	101	137	..	..	137	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
240	15	..	225	240	..	..	240	70	445	515	7	..	7	99	14	17	
432	37	110	305	25	1	..	24	77	430	507	10	..	10	112	18	38	
269	3	51	215	54	..	..	54	72	120	192	..	..	..	73	12	36	
279	7	36	236	41	..	..	41	53	273	326	5	..	5	112	17	26	
170	16	42	112	114	..	..	114	11	30	41	1	..	1	24	4	5	
201	5	30	166	31	..	..	31	51	257	311	2	..	2	155	24	37	
1,549	554	346	669	204	3	691	110	185	500	685	..	..	..	656	174	93	
478	88	44	346	18	..	..	18	57	104	161	1	2	3	189	57	23	
665	43	265	357	105	1	..	104	75	87	162	2	1	3	240	59	29	
264	19	...	245	115	..	..	115	52	257	309	3	4	7	108	24	26	
301	21	78	202	16	...	..	16	34	27	61	..	..	..	81	21	17	
301	19	11	271	166	...	..	166	71	721	792	..	7	7	91	16	34	
704	30	174	557	98	...	..	98	42	41	83	1	..	1	77	18	21	
272	29	34	212	20	..	..	20	20	52	72	2	..	2	32	6	10	
552	7	51	494	38	..	30	8	104	410	514	15	..	15	181	29	53	
136	5	.	134	31	2	..	29	33	142	175	5	2	7	71	15	16	
109	7	2	91	20	..	..	20	58	271	329	3	4	7	132	25	28	
49	...	...	40	..	..	..	..	8	93	101	..	1	1	9	2	4	
665	33	263	369	365	...	332	11	100	380	480	10	1	11	286	56	51	
198	6	21	171	56	..	..	56	26	74	100	1	..	1	72	9	13	
445	62	40	342	30	15	..	15	56	142	198	..	..	..	149	32	25	
557	25	35	477	543	3	..	540	123	51	174	6	..	6	85	11	12	
201	36	59	176	10	..	..	10	32	51	83	1	1	2	90	22	16	
475	31	91	354	2	..	..	2	93	329	422	12	..	12	204	50	46	
24	..	..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
62	..	..	62	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	..	..	39	..	..	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
98	16	57	25	14	...	6	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1,374	44	127	1,203	290	..	..	290	104	447	551	20	..	20	219	34	29	
55,757	5,138	9,228	41,391	11,155	113	1,231	9,291	12,173	36,518	48,691	265	529	794	26,585	6,022	4,678	

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Dry Crop.	Rice.	Garden.	Number.	Name of Village.	Total area.	Inam, acres.	Unarable.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Fast collection on cultivated lands.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Second Class, Dry Crop lands, Maximum rate ... Rs. 2 0 0			1	Kumbarpalya ..	77	...	26	...	...	41	41	...	...	10	10	33
			2	Nayakanpalya ...	152	4	16	...	...	120	120	...	...	12	12	97
			3	Kallyan Vader Matti ...	461	..	174	..	1	274	275	...	...	12	12	183
			4	Dabguli ...	880	...	561	1	1	317	319	...	..	...	...	195
			5	Dhup kallu ...	422	..	301	...	...	116	116	..	..	5	5	100
			6	Matya ..	613	13	258	5	...	336	341	1	...	...	1	195
			7	Hanchikuppi ...	1,080	...	592	12	34	472	518	1	10	29	40	543
			8	Halebele. ..	926	46	285	19	22	339	380	..	..	217	217	392
			9	Chekrabhavi ...	1,076	118	478	33	26	394	453	.	4	23	27	681
			10	Alaluppi ...	656	25	257	12	7	215	234	..	...	140	140	218
			11	Yelagadhilli ..	280	55	23	4	1	96	101	...	6	95	101	130
			12	Kormangla ...	354	15	188	...	...	134	134	..	...	17	17	131
			13	Markdevanr ...	827	5	427	28	9	305	342	5	...	46	51	423
			14	Tripurantak Channapur	188	...	134	1	..	..	1	1	.	52	53	4
			15	Kasta Madalal ...	3,022	114	2,341	11	16	514	541	7	...	19	26	647
			16	Vadvatta ...	1,848	106	1,324	15	12	307	334	1	...	33	84	455
			17	Managellu ..	237	15	140	1	3	127	131	...	..	1	1	104
			18	Soonenhilli ...	311	24	320	...	2	199	201	2	...	64	66	193
			19	Nailpatna ...	27	...	2	..	...	23	23	...	.	2	2	34
			20	Kammsanhalli ...	373	...	194	5	..	91	96	13	...	70	83	97
			21	Nagmangla ...	1,382	49	879	1	9	428	438	2	.	14	16	361
			22	Belagvadi ...	1,377	49	895	14	5	385	404	9	..	20	29	393
			23	Mattikeri ...	803	15	333	26	22	405	453	2	.	...	2	419
			24	Helagihalh ...	1,741	53	1,624	10	21	158	189	1	6	68	75	328
			25	Averhilli ...	1,340	11	971	34	..	324	358	...	..	...	...	436
			26	Shettarhalh ...	248	12	121	6	...	105	111	...	.	2	2	109
			27	Gattipura ...	1,102	30	774	9	1	258	268	...	..	28	30	189
			28	Shambhudevanhalli ...	219	7	94	2	...	115	117	...	..	1	1	123
			29	Banivada ...	1,166	117	160	8	138	710	854	...	...	35	35	1,541
			30	Pilamhalli ..	848	23	342	4	18	248	270	...	9	204	213	323
			31	Satpura ...	341	10	49	..	34	180	214	...	1	70	77	274
			32	Sidganhalli ...	394	15	48	5	17	274	296	...	29	6	35	292
			33	Hemapura ...	434	22	123	4	21	238	263	...	..	26	26	341
			34	Muganhalli ..	343	4	36	3	6	220	237	...	...	66	66	191
			35	Alur ...	553	46	89	33	54	287	354	...	...	70	70	436
			36	Udukunte ..	729	70	70	16	43	451	510	...	...	79	79	806
			37	Rangenhalli ...	385	7	65	4	28	212	244	...	...	67	67	326
			38	Narsapura ...	220	3	20	1	3	165	169	...	1	36	37	151
			39	Mailanhalli ...	409	7	49	1	3	265	269	...	..	84	84	265
			40	Bhairsandra ...	109	..	5	1	4	99	104	..	.	.	...	...
			41	Maisandra ...	830	101	126	74	17	322	413	8	19	163	190	1,030
			42	Do kaval	564	39	279	...	185	1	186	..	56	4	60	
			43	Bijanhalli ...	262	27	20	3	8	198	209	..	...	6	6	
			44	Do kaval ...	42	8	1	...	8	...	8	.	24	1	25	212
			45	Yelapura ...	543	21	70	2	6	341	349	...	3	190	193	
			46	Do kaval ...	67	2	63	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	267
			47	Lakkenhalli ...	462	6	23	12	4	215	231	...	2	200	202	308
			48	Parvatpura ...	189	...	51	..	3	54	58	...	3	76	79	39
			49	Kutnigeri ...	633	26	199	5	17	283	305	...	...	93	93	330
			50	Nerikeri ..	643	56	87	5	31	412	448	...	...	52	52	551
			51	Sankigatta ...	1,022	141	246	133	46	303	482	2	131	20	153	1,238
			52	Narsapura ...	862	19	26	1	8	279	288	...	...	29	29	312
			53	Sannenhalh ...	359	34	50	6	..	161	167	1	...	107	108	208
			54	Tavarikeri ...	697	96	141	15	50	374	439	4	75	242	321	381
			55	Paledhalli ...	201	19	14	...	...	160	160	...	...	9	9	149
			56	Ramannanhalli ...	328	16	174	1	...	117	118	1	...	14	15	96
			57	Kasta Kudur ...	1,886	189	346	43	40	1,205	1,288	...	...	63	63	1,181
			58	Bisgur ...	1,736	138	712	56	97	659	812	3	67	4	74	1,435
			59	Adarangi ...	1,539	31	1,032	30	47	459	536	..	...	40	40	807
			60	Kaginadu ...	456	15	101	20	41	272	333	...	7	...	7	577
			61	Kamsahalli ...	404	11	43	16	9	280	315	1	...	34	35	409
			62	Ajjihalli ...	973	19	325	15	29	485	529	...	...	100	00	546
			63	Kodihalli ...	815	72	100	16	23	510	549	...	.	94	64	486
			64	Gollalli ...	385	13	58	15	20	237	272	...	2	50	52	293
			65	Gavadayingalya ...	160	...	23	...	...	62	62	...	...	75	75	54
			66	Hutenhalli ...	900	66	84	18	52	614	684	..	12	54	66	854
			67	Mutkadhalli ...	339	105	17	3	...	207	210	...	...	7	7	292
			68	Virapura ...	699	7	242	4	7	281	292	...	...	159	159	283
			69	Do kaval ...	95	...	21	..	...	74	74	...	...	...	...	25
			70	Muthalhalli kaval ...	55	2	4	2	46	...	48	...	1	..	1	160

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Survey Kanal or Standard Assessment.								Cattle.				Carts.					
Government, Cultivated.				Government, Waste.													
Total assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands	Assessment on dry crop lands.	Total assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands.	Assessment on dry crop lands.	Agricultural.	Other Cattle.	Total.	Small.	Large, Half Bands.	Total.	Population.	Number of Houses.	Ploughs.	Remarks.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	
31	.	.	31	7			7										
97			97	9			9	40	249	289	2		2	60	18	20	
351	1		350	51			34	56	183	239	4		4	81	26	28	
219	3	4	212	8			8	60	354	414	8		8	123	27	30	
284	.	6	278	.	...	...											
111	72	..	39	3	1		2	48	131	179	14		14	105	27	24	
592	82	168	392	71	2	47	22	64	288	352	13	1	14	106	22	32	
446	45	102	299	138	.	.	138	87	381	468				187	36	48	
737	191	98	442	85		15	20	75	315	410				208	49	37	
231	28	21	212	122	...	...	122	52	164	219	1		1	96	28	26	
115	17	4	94	103	.	23	80	4	8	12	.		...	4	1	2	
108	...	..	108	14	..	...	14	39	92	131	.	6	6	54	12	17	
411	92	34	285	42	10	.	32	68	188	256	..			191	39	31	
2	2	...	...	45	3	..	42	.	.	...				...	...	...	
575	95	49	491	37	16		21	104	415	519	11		11	247	64	55	
385	57	48	280	72	2	.	70	101	341	442	4		4	204	52	59	
126	3	4	119	.	...			52	43	474	..		...	79	16	26	
175	1	4	170	50	4		46	.	.	...			...	...	...	...	
18	...		18	2			2	4	28	32				16	3	2	
97	12		85	92	32	.	60	1	15	31			2	33	10	8	
405	2	36	367	16	6	.	10	52	249	301	6		6	104	31	27	
449	60	19	370	61	41	.	20	68	327	393				104	26	33	
412	90	85	237	4	4		..	102	931	1,033	4		4	178	45	51	
296	39	87	170	85	2	23	60	44	128	172				96	28	18	
411	134		272	..	...	.		66	370	436	7	5	12	145	42	32	
131	34	..	97	8	.	8	..	2	3	5			..	8	1	1	
260	15	4	241	27	..	6	21	53	432	494			...	122	38	48	
103	6	.	94	..	..	..	..	10	15	25			...	21	6	5	
1,302	35	471	796	40	1	...	39	235	872	1,107	10		10	550	122	117	
332	17	70	245	183	..	21	162	100	571	671	4		4	106	52	50	
306	1	123	182	59	..	2	57	76	240	316			...	158	31	33	
397	34	68	295	124	1	117	5	29	82	111	2	1	3	69	24	14	
341	18	64	245	25	..	.	25	40	155	195			...	75	15	20	
241	8	21	212	48	...	...	48	24	53	76	1		1	38	12	12	
580	170	136	274	36	..		36	125	400	525	1	3	4	210	63	63	
681	74	183	424	81	...	...	81	211	1,083	1,294	17	5	22	849	99	98	
338	24	87	227	65	.	.	65	44	160	204	2		2	91	16	17	
107	3	8	196	41		2	39	40	94	134	4		4	71	11	20	
220	5	11	204	64	...	.	64	100	456	556	1		1	217	55	49	
122	3	13	106	...	..	..	...	16	34	50	1		1	26	5	8	
940	541	70	329	278	5	100	173	85	255	340	8		8	272	65	39	
901	...	899	2	349		259	90	..	...	...				...	...	...	
248	11	30	207	5	...	.	5	54	111	165	3		3	92	31	2	
40	...	40	..	110	..	110	.	.	.	...				...	...	...	
363	11	21	331	84	..	8	76	72	251	323			2	160	29	35	
11	..	11	...	...	...	..	...	.	.	...				...	...	...	
325	59	21	245	196	...	6	190	48	107	155				93	22	5	
63	...	15	48	65	...	8	57	10	59	69				17	3	5	
381	13	64	304	74	..	...	74	61	216	279			...	165	41	30	
575	16	112	447	47	...	..	47	193	402	595	12		12	549	112	102	
1,418	859	235	324	574	11	538	25	103	472	575	2	1	3	451	107	50	
326	3	40	283	37	...	...	37	46	116	162				85	23	23	
207	22	...	185	135	5	...	130	40	42	82				114	33	20	
631	40	195	396	512	10	286	216	58	118	154	4		4	139	58	18	
175	...	..	175	5	...	.	5	48	329	377	3		3	103	23	24	
124	2	...	122	4	4	...	9	16	94	110			...	38	12	8	
1,613	167	146	1,300	57	...	...	57	195	517	712	3		3	1,000	202	85	
1,621	349	477	795	370	20	318	32	258	930	1,188	13		13	582	172	120	
775	219	134	522	35	...	...	35	190	1,687	1,877	7		7	442	68	93	
518	37	119	362	21	..	21	...	150	687	837	4		4	460	90	75	
423	60	34	329	2	2	...	28	42	149	191	2		2	115	22	16	
556	62	123	471	69	...	..	69	172	684	856	9		9	381	63	30	
669	60	68	531	136	...	...	136	128	534	662	11	1	12	338	86	64	
378	84	68	246	34	...	4	30	50	173	223	2	...	2	167	30	25	
57	...	...	57	55	...	...	55	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	
919	77	190	652	97	...	42	55	112	255	367	15	2	17	319	75	68	
244	7	...	237	5	...	...	5	18	39	57	...	...	...	69	15	9	
328	16	30	282	110	...	...	110	32	65	97	...	...	...	57	11	4	
57	...	...	57	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
212	15	197	...	2	.	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

APPENDIX

Class.					By Survey Accounts.											
								Government, Cultivated.				Government, Waste.				
Dry Crop.	Rice.	Garden.	Number.	Name of Village.	Total area.	Inam, acres.	Unarable.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Garden, acres.	Rice, acres.	Dry crop, acres.	Total.	Past collects n on cultivated lands.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Second Class, Dry Crop lands, Maximum rate Rs. 2 0 0			71	Hulenhalli kaval ...	95	..	11	...	...	77	77	...	...	7	7	366
			72	Paledhalli kaval ..	26	...	1	...	13	12	25	...	...	...	...	122
			73	Ramanhalli kaval ...	47	...	14	5	15	13	33	...	...	...	...	96
			74	Sankigatta kaval ...	441	...	31	..	...	.	...	...	3	407	410	163
			75	Udkunti kaval ...	803	...	803	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	76
			76	Mailanhalli kaval ...	447	...	343	...	...	104	104	...	...	...	...	56
			77	Savandurga ..	4,021	...	4,021	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..
			77	Total.....	52,237	2,377	24,303	828	1,442	18,660	20,930	65	475	3,987	4,527	25,519
Third Class, Dry Crop lands, Maximum rate ... Re. 1 12 0	Second Class, Rice lands, Maximum rate ... Rs. 7 8 0	Third Class, Garden lands, Maximum rate... Rs 15 and 8	1	Attigere ..	956	15	614	11	6	307	324	...	..	3	3	329
			2	Gerhalli ...	754	2	472	6	..	273	279	...	..	1	1	192
			3	Ajjanhalli ...	591	...	363	1	..	215	216	..	..	12	12	130
			4	Kadpura ...	312	...	257	..	3	35	38	...	..	17	17	39
			5	Gedli ...	491	...	396	...	...	58	58	...	..	37	37	49
			6	Gamikallu ...	347	...	231	..	1	110	111	...	...	2	2	70
			7	Alalhalli ...	307	..	201	...	1	105	106	...	...	..	...	46
			8	Laksandra ...	607	17	388	9	2	154	165	5	...	37	42	135
			9	Hanikarnhalli ...	767	17	505	8	6	163	177	2	4	62	68	150
			10	Manchanbele ...	1,646	9	1,201	34	..	342	376	...	...	...	..	587
			11	Nerlvadi ...	835	46	450	17	5	309	331	2	...	..	2	399
			12	Hulikallu ...	1,912	396	428	55	317	524	896	2	43	147	192	2,051
			13	Dodhalli ...	378	8	52	2	...	181	183	..	...	135	135	154
			14	Chikhalli ...	578	16	42	11	1	335	347	...	...	173	173	323
			15	Kempapura ..	270	8	85	1	10	144	155	..	12	10	22	175
			16	Hanumakavanpalya ...	264	10	167	4	..	60	64	...	..	23	23	96
			17	Timmanhalli ...	211	6	64	...	17	56	73	..	1	67	68	153
			18	Basvanpalya ...	546	4	64	10	..	249	259	1	..	218	219	153
			19	Gangonhalli ...	1,032	23	89	8	1	698	707	...	...	213	213	753
			20	Gundgeri ...	605	50	133	15	18	363	396	1	34	40	77	358
			21	Honnapura ...	450	23	51	3	6	312	321	1	30	24	55	248
			22	Virpapura ...	453	15	38	6	18	233	257	..	1	142	143	471
			23	Marsandra ...	560	38	118	3	57	210	270	...	37	96	133	248
			24	Naganhalli ...	189	11	18	4	17	101	122	...	11	27	38	113
			25	Suganhalli ...	743	175	216	1	1	260	262	...	...	90	90	195
			26	Kanamur ...	926	96	133	10	51	503	564	...	35	103	133	441
			27	Bethalli ...	917	54	256	7	5	385	397	...	16	200	216	2 6
			28	Kenkeri ...	609	38	183	...	32	366	398	...	...	80	80	432
			29	Shrigiripur ..	1,041	129	176	11	90	596	697	...	13	27	40	949
			30	Chaudibegur ...	744	76	89	5	28	379	412	...	23	143	166	372
			31	Hosballi ...	519	22	213	...	25	152	177	...	7	100	107	202
			32	Chikmaskallu ...	779	38	269	4	56	403	461	...	14	57	71	397
			33	Dolenhalli ...	470	1	154	2	6	251	259	...	19	37	56	294
			34	Virsagra ...	348	31	47	1	5	207	113	...	28	29	57	185
			35	Shrigiripur kaval ...	777	...	520	...	...	..	...	...	...	257	257	38
			36	Chikmaskal kaval ...	209	...	117	...	..	...	...	...	...	92	92	10
			37	Dolenhalli kaval ...	116	...	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	34	10
			38	Virsagar kaval ...	233	...	107	...	...	...	...	...	...	126	126	56
			39	Kadmallenhalli* ...	577	...	577	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			39	Total.....	24,219	1,384	9,564	247	783	9,041	10,071	14	325	2,881	3,200	17,368
			255	Gran dTotal	1,72,971	9,120	71,544	2,296	4,617	66,298	73,211	125	1,260	17,611	18,996	84,644

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A. *(Concluded.)*

Survey Kamal or Standard Assessment.								Cattle.			Carts.						
Government, Cultivated.				Government, Waste.													
Total assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands.	Assessment on dry crop lands.	Total assessment.	Assessment on garden lands.	Assessment on rice lands.	Assessment on dry crop lands.	Agricultural.	Other Cattle.	Total.	Small.	Large Halli Bandies.	Total.	Population.	Number of Houses.	Ploughs.	Remarks.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35
362	...	362	...	7	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
79	...	68	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
90	23	53	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	457	...	...	446	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
55	...	...	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
23,111	3,019	5,774	18,418	5,772	226	2,007	3,539	4,475	18,562	23,037	210	54	264	11,155	2,544	2,097	
309	38	22	269	2	...	...	2	70	198	268	10	...	10	159	37	86	
213	12	...	201	2	...	...	2	48	149	197	...	...	...	73	20	24	
159	3	...	156	8	...	...	8	74	300	374	...	...	...	141	41	37	
32	...	6	26	11	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
48	...	...	48	26	...	...	26	4	14	18	...	...	...	7	3	3	
98	...	4	92	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
82	1	2	79	...	...	...	...	33	65	98	...	...	...	25	8	9	
139	22	4	113	30	11	...	19	13	82	100	...	...	...	22	6	9	
201	53	25	123	26	10	14	52	12	39	51	...	...	...	21	3	5	
384	98	...	286	...	...	...	...	89	281	370	15	...	15	282	61	45	
368	99	12	257	4	4	...	...	73	217	285	2	...	2	142	33	39	
2,178	595	1,349	524	252	10	135	107	109	619	859	5	...	5	653	237	82	
173	6	...	169	108	...	...	108	32	258	290	1	...	1	62	9	16	
357	35	2	317	135	...	...	135	116	1,174	1,290	1	...	1	238	51	58	
191	5	54	132	72	...	64	8	43	66	109	3	...	3	93	16	22	
76	16	...	60	11	...	2	11	15	27	42	1	...	1	58	14	8	
140	...	89	51	50	...	...	48	6	27	33	1	...	1	7	1	3	
259	31	...	228	167	...	...	167	38	176	214	3	...	3	153	20	25	
749	22	2	725	149	...	...	149	96	558	654	10	1	11	226	38	48	
474	59	75	340	171	4	131	36	77	200	277	1	...	1	201	50	13	
302	9	22	271	104	3	89	16	58	249	307	...	1	1	112	24	29	
343	28	73	242	131	...	2	129	40	117	157	...	3	3	95	21	20	
396	13	198	185	198	...	135	63	18	71	89	1	...	1	52	12	9	
154	13	54	86	54	...	34	20	12	41	53	1	1	2	48	11	6	
249	4	4	241	51	...	...	54	106	335	441	7	...	7	224	61	49	
644	49	175	470	168	...	100	68	129	379	508	6	6	12	328	95	65	
403	25	18	360	173	...	55	115	140	555	695	8	...	8	280	48	70	
476	1	121	354	76	...	2	64	87	384	471	1	4	5	142	31	42	
928	48	325	555	61	...	32	29	145	669	814	1	17	18	526	121	62	
457	28	91	338	181	...	68	113	128	482	610	3	...	3	223	43	64	
269	...	86	183	40	...	14	26	49	257	297	...	...	...	129	25	20	
247	21	182	344	85	...	41	44	67	179	246	2	3	5	188	38	34	
259	10	18	241	94	...	64	29	61	198	259	...	2	2	157	27	30	
260	2	12	186	103	...	71	32	42	146	188	4	...	4	111	26	21	
...	...	...	...	140	...	...	140	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	67	...	...	67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	29	...	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	59	...	...	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
12,704	1,117	3,073	8,514	3,021	47	1,053	1,921	2,076	8,583	10,659	85	40	125	5,153	1,034	1,003	
95,572	10,174	18,075	68,323	19,948	396	4,811	14,751	18,721	63,003	82,387	560	623	1,183	42,696	9,600	7,778	

* Formerly Kuyamgutta, lately resumed now under course of measurement, &c., for settlement.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, 15th May 1879.

From the Assistant Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, To the Deputy Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, dated 18th December 1878.

I have the honor to forward the following report on the Magadi Taluk.

Boundaries.

2. Magadi is a Taluk of tolerably regular shape, its boundaries being. North the Túmkúr and Nelamangala Taluks, South Closepet, East Bangalore and Nelamangala, and West the Kunigal Taluk.

Area.

3. In area it is 172,394 acres, or roughly 269 square miles.

Sub-divisions.

4. The Taluk originally consisted of 11 sammats, but in 1876—77 the Bidadi Sammat containing 46 villages was transferred, 35 villages to Closepet and 8 villages to the Bangalore Taluk, whilst 4 villages were included in the Gudemarnhalli Sammat of the Taluk. Of the 10 remaining sammats Tavarekere comprising 40 villages was settled by the Survey Department in 1875—76, and at that time 10 villages were transferred to the Bangalore Taluk.

5. The Taluk therefore now consists of 10 sammats containing 338 villages, of which 31 are settled. Of these 338 villages, 254 are Government, 47 Jodi, 30 Kayamgutta, 1 Sarva Inam, and 6 Mahal Jodi.

6. The sammats with their attached villages are as under :—

No.	Magni.	Number of Villages.	No.	Magni.	Number of Villages.
1	Magadi	48	6	Kudur	21
2	Madbal	47	7	Hulikal	20
3	Sathnur	38	8	Solur	44
4	Tippasandra	32	9	Gudemarnhalli	37
5	Narsandra	21	10	Tavarekere	30
5	Total.....	186	5	Total.....	152
				Grand Total.....	338

The portion of the Taluk classed by the Establishment under my superintendence comprised the Southern half, *viz.*, the Magadi, Madbal and Sathnur Sammats, half of Tippasandra, and half of Gudemarnhalli ; this report therefore has special reference to these sammats.

Physical characteristics.

7. The Northern half of the Taluk is of an open and undulating character, in the centre rocky hills crop up in every direction, and as you go South the country becomes much wilder in appearance till you reach Savandroog, a prominent object around, and South of which there is a growth of high scrub jungle which extends for miles. This latter portion of the Taluk is being gradually depopulated, fever of a virulent type being prevalent.

Population.

8. According to the census of 1871 the population stood at 94,000, but it is now estimated that from the famine and decease of the past 2 years 26,000 have perished, or deported themselves elsewhere. The present population being estimated at a little over 70,000, would give an average of 260 souls per square mile.

Cattle.

9. The cattle of the Magadi Taluk used to be considered somewhat above the average, but as might have been expected, the late drought has told terribly on them reducing their number by Taluk accounts from 91,000 heads to 57,000, or a loss of 33 per cent.

Rain-fall.

10. I was unable to obtain any reliable information as to the rain-fall, but should estimate that of the lower half of the Taluk to be the same as that of Bangalore, while that of the Northern half may be from 3 to 5 inches lighter.

Drainage.

11. The drainage of the Taluk is from North to South. There are several large nallas, the principal one taking its rise in Nundydroog forms one of the main feeders of the Arkavati River, which finally discharges itself into the Cauvery in the Kankanhalli Taluk. Some of the smaller nallas are bunded and utilized for irrigation purposes.

Tanks.

12. Tanks are numerous all over the Taluk, of which some 6 may be called 1st class. In the Tippasandra Sammat the "Sankegatta" was a fine tank, but bursting 20 years ago, all the gardens, &c., below it which are said to have been the best in the Taluk, have gone to ruin

Soils and dry crop.

13. As a rule the soils of the Taluk are of the red, grey, sandy and gravelly descriptions' some black soil is met with in the Kudur and Hulikal Sammats. The chief crops grown are ragi, togari, avare, jola, castor oil, and horse gram. No where have I met with a second dry crop raised in one and the same season.

Wet lands and crops, cane.

14. Double crops of rice are raised to some extent under the large tanks. Sugar-cane is also largely grown principally in the Gudemarnhalli Sammat, also in Tippasandra, Narsandra, Kudur, Hulikal and Solur Sammats. The cane grown is of 2 kinds "patta patti" and "chithasava" Both of these kinds take 12 months to come to maturity, being planted in December and January.

Rice.

15. Of rice the kinds chiefly grown are for the Kartik crop "Maral Kanti." and for Vaisak "Dodd" and "bilé Sau bhatta."

Gardens.

16. Areca is chiefly grown in the Tippasandra, Hulikal and Gudemarnhalli Sammats, but is generally speaking not very productive. Betel creepers flourish in the red soils of Gudemarnhalli. Mulberry gardens are met with in the Magadi, Madabal and Sathnur Magnis, a considerable area having been at one time under its cultivation.

Present Nominal rates.

17. The rates for land growing cane range from 12 annas to 1 rupee per wokla of 500 square yards, rice land from 4 annas to 1 rupee per wokla; about 200 khandis of wet land are under "Batayi" of which half is under cultivation. In khushki the old rates run from 1 anna 2 pies up to Rs. 3—12—0 per wokla of 3,200 square yards. There being some 35 nominal rates, the rates on which land is now given out for cultivation run from 4 As. 8 pie up to 14 annas, which is the maximum.

Sub-letting.

18. About $\frac{2}{3}$ of the land are cultivated by the Pattadars on their own account, $\frac{1}{3}$rd being on a rough estimate *sub-let*; of this about $\frac{1}{4}$ take the land on "aragompalu" in which the cultivator pays half the kandayam and gives $\frac{1}{4}$ of the produce to the pattadar. Another $\frac{1}{4}$ take it on "Seriwara's in which the cultivator pays the full kandayam, and takes half the produce. The remaining $\frac{1}{4}$ is cultivated on "Mukuppa" in which the cultivator pays the kandayam and takes $\frac{1}{3}$rd of the produces

Manufactures.

19. Iron used to be turned out in considerable quantities before the famine. There is a tax levied on each forge of from Rs. 9 to Rs. 27 depending on the number of furnaces, a full establishment working 3 furnaces employing 30 men, and paying Rs. 27 to Government. In one furnace the rough material which is found in the shape of iron sand in the deep nallahs and called "adaru" is mixed with charcoal in layers and smelted into a rough mass, which is dug out of the bottom of the furnace at the close of the operation. This lump or "Mudde" is then conveyed to a second furnace "palu kulame" in which it is re-heated and cut in half. A third furnace "Chillre kulame" then takes it in hand, makes the rough mass into a "kula" or bar of iron which is afterwards worked up into horse shoes, nails, mamotis, &c.

Silk.

20. Magadi till quite recently carried on a considerable trade in silk. The industry is confined pretty much to the southern portion of the Taluk contiguous to the large nallahs which drain the Taluk. On the edges of these nallahs, mulberry gardens are every where met with a large proportion being now out of cultivation. There is no doubt that of late years the silk industry has declined which is attributed to disease having attacked the silk-worms, the seasons also have been unfavorable. Ryots, both Hindus and Musalmans, cultivate the mulberry, rear the silk-worms, and finally dispose of the cocoons to Musalmans who go around from village to village. The silk is then rolled and disposed of to merchants in Magadi and Closepet, which latter place is one of the great centres of the trade in silk. When the ryot cannot be troubled with the keeping of the silk-worms, he disposes of the produce of his garden for a fixed sum.

Looms.

21. There are 304 looms for cloth, 20 for cumblis, and 2 goni patte or sacking cloth.

22. Brass work of a very superior description is turned out in Kasba Magadi, the town being noted for its lamp stands which are much prized.

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Market towns.

23. The Taluk possesses 9 towns in which weekly markets are held. Motgondanhalli on, Sunday, Narsapura on Monday, Hulikal and Solur on Tuesday Gudemaranhalli on Wednesday, Chakrabhavi and Tippasandra on Thursday, Kasba Magadi on Friday and Kudur on Saturday; of these Magadi, Chakrabhavi and Kudur are the most important. The Taluk is moreover very favorably situated with regard to Bangalore.

Trade.

24. *Exports.*—The chief are ragi, castor-oil, bean, horse-gram and firewood.

Imports.—Paddy and rice from Kunigal and Maddagiri, cocoanuts from Channaraypatna, and tobacco, areca, chillies, cloth, &c., from Bangalore.

Roads and communications.

25. The Taluk is tolerably well supplied with roads. A road from Nelamangala to Kunigal and Hassan passes through the northern portion and in the south a somewhat indifferent road from Bangalore through Kasba Magadi joins the former road near the western boundary of the Taluk, whilst a track not yet completed, runs in a southern direction from Magadi to Huliyurdurga.

General condition.

26. In conclusion I beg to state that I consider that the ryots of this Taluk are in ordinary years fairly well off. I would however be disposed to lower the maximum of the dry crop lands in the Madabal and Satnur Maguis and also in the portion of the Magadi sammat that lies to the south of Savandroog. This portion of the Taluk being wild in character, with much scrub jungle, is not very accessible to wheeled traffic, and the climate is a very unhealthy one, fever of a virulent type being very prevalent.

From the Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey and Assessment. To the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, No. 202, dated Nittur, 28th February 1879.

I have the honor herewith to forward Report No. 201 of 28th instant, to the address of the Survey and Settlement Commissioner of Mysore, for your perusal and return at your earliest convenience, with such remarks as you may desire to make.

From the Offg. Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, To the Offg. Superintendent. Revenue Survey and Settlement, No. 734—Encl. 5, dated Bangalore, 18th March 1879.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 202, dated 28th ultimo, forwarding a printed copy of your report of the same date to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, embodying your proposals for the revision of the assessment, &c., of the Magadi Taluk.

Dated 8th March 1879.

2. It will be observed that the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, whose opinion I called for, and a copy of whose letter* on the subject is appended, has no objection to offer to the proposed settlement, which he thinks suitable.

3. The proposed revision will result in a net increase under the head of "Land Revenue" alone of Rs. 11,728, the total assessment from dry lands as compared with the demand for 1876—77, being raised from Rs. 54,561 to Rs. 68,323, or an increase of Rs. 13,762, while that to be derived from rice and garden lands will be diminished by Rs. 2,034.

4. The area of dry crop land in occupancy, according to the Survey, is 66,298 acres against 6,913 acres comprised in garden and wet cultivation.

5. The average rates of assessment, present and proposed, are as follows :—

	Present. Rs. As. P.	Proposed. Rs. As. P.
Dry lands	0 13 2	1 0 6
Rice and garden lands	4 6 1	4 1 5

The impression produced by these figures is that the dry crop lands, of which the area is about 10 times as great as the other descriptions, has been unduly rated, the present assessment (average) having been raised by annas 3—4 per acre, while the rice and garden rates have been reduced by annas 4—8 per acre.

6. In para 40 of your report you have shewn, however, that the incidence of the proposed assessment varies from annas 15 to Rs. 1—2—0 per acre on ordinary dry crop land; from Rs. 3—6—0 to Rs. 3—10—0 on ordinary rice land, and from Rs. 5—4—0 to Rs. 5—10—0 on rice lands of the better kind.

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7. These rates are probably as high as a taluk so deficient as Magadi is in good soil and climate will bear, but considering the great advantage resulting from its proximity to the Bangalore market, I do not think that the rates can be considered too high.

8. I find that the proposed rates are indeed lower for the most part than those fixed as the average for the Kengeri hobli of the Bangalore Taluk, part of which belonged formerly to the Magadi Taluk. The figures are subjoined :—

AVERAGE RATES OF ASSESSMENT.

Magadi Taluk.

	Garden.			Rice.			Dry.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Group I	4	3	0	3	13	9	1	1	2
Group II	4	11	9	4	0	1	0	15	9
Group III	4	8	0	3	14	9	0	15	1

Kengeri Hobli.

Group I	8	8	6	4	6	9	1	4	
Group II	8	2	0	3	14	0	1	0	1
Group III	6	7	0	3	3	11	0	14	1

The garden rates admit of no comparison. The rice land rates, as proposed for the Magadi Taluk, are lower in Group No. 1 only. For the dry lands the mean for all 3 groups is 1 rupee per acre in Magadi and Rs. 1—1—4 in Kengeri.

9. In paras 57 and 58, you mention that there are 20 kavals in which the Amrut Mahal Department "either possessed rights or there was doubt on the subject," and that these have been consequently measured as separate villages and left for disposal at time of settlement. The question of the final disposal of these kavals is for the Chief Commissioner's consideration, but it might be desirable, I think, to know whether in all or any of these cases, the lands comprised within them had been even partially taken up for cultivation in the interval between the abolition of the Amrut Mahal Department in 1860 and its subsequent revival.

10. I concur in the advisability of transferring the isolated village of Vadavatta to the Closepet Taluk as proposed in your para 59.

11. I concur also in the proposals made in para 61 for the transfer of the villages therein named, in order to rectify the boundaries of the Bangalore, Magadi, Nelamangala and Closepet Taluks at the points where they touch. The Ajanpalya and Sheshgiripur villages will be transferred, I presume, to the Magadi Taluk.

12. The several enclosures of your letter, *viz.*, No. 201, 2 maps and Appendix A (in manuscript) are herewith returned as requested.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District. To the Offg. Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, No.—dated 8th March 1879.

Adverting to your docket No. 1345 of the 5th instant, forwarding the Revenue Survey Superintendent's report on the subject of the revision of assessment of the Magadi Taluk, I have the honor to state that I have no remarks to make, except that I consider the assessment a very fair one. The average dry rate on the three groups, though an increase on the old average rate, is still only a slight increase, and one that can well be borne. On the other hand the survey average on garden and rice is less than the old average, and this is not to be regretted, seeing that irrigation on some of the dry lands may hereafter enter into injurious competition with existing wet lands

2. I have not the references in camp with me about the proposed rectification of the Taluk (Magadi) boundaries. I believe, however, that they are in accordance with certain recommendations now in your office. If necessary, a separate communication will be made to you on the subject, and all the papers are herewith returned, in order that there may be no delay in this office towards early settlement of the taluk, and which settlement is much to be desired.

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No. 1463—Rev. 46, dated Bangalore, 13th May 1879.

Order thereon.—The foregoing papers contain proposals for the revision of the assessment of the unsettled portion of the Magadi Taluk, comprising 324 Government and Inam villages.

2. The Officiating Superintendent's report gives a full statistical description of the Taluk. Magadi partakes of the general character of the Mysore tableland, with red stony soil, poor and gravelly on the high-lying lands, but improving in quality in the valleys, with very little black soil, and studded with numerous rain-fed tanks, some of which are of considerable dimensions holding water all the year round. The annual rain-fall averages 31 inches. The staple crops grown are ragi in the dry lands and rice in the wet. There is a good deal of sugar-cane cultivation in small patches, but the area of supari and cocoanut gardens is very limited in extent and inferior in quality, and mulberry which was once lucrative has greatly declined owing to the failure of the silk trade.

3. The population owing to the effect of the famine has been reduced to 158 per square mile. The supply of live-stock is however ample, there being abundance of grazing in the hills and scrub jungles with which the Taluk abounds. The Taluk is also well provided with roads and is favorably situated in regard to markets.

4. The rates of assessment proposed average Rs. 1—0—6 per acre on the occupied dry lands, Rs. 3—14—8 on the rice and Rs. 4—6—11 on the gardens. The incidence of the latter may again be classified into Rs. 6—1—5 on the tank-irrigated and 3—10—4 on the well-irrigated gardens. Compared with the former assessment the present settlement is an increase of about Rs. 14,000 or 26 per cent on the dry and a decrease of Rs. 2,000 or 6 per cent on the garden and rice lands; and with the doubling of the local cess, the addition made to the payments by the ryots amounts to Rs. 16,000. Excluding the local cess and deducting the remuneration required for the village officers and the contribution to be made to the District Irrigation Fund, the net gain to the Government revenue when the Taluk should hereafter recover from the effects of the famine would amount only to Rs. 4,000.

5. The extent of culturable unoccupied land is as noted in the margin, but there is little probability for years to come of an increase to the revenue being secured by any portion of the waste land being brought under cultivation.

	Extent. Acres.	Assessment. Rs. A. P.
Garden ...	125	386 0 0
Rice ...	1,260	4,811 0 0
Dry crop ...	17,611	14,751 0 0
Total.....	18,996	19,948 0 0

6. The Officiating Commissioner of the Nundydroog Division considers the addition to the dry assessment large—as high as the Taluk could bear—though having regard to the advantage possessed by the Taluk in its proximity to the Bangalore market, he would not urge any reduction. The Survey Commissioner on the other hand considers the settlement on the whole 4 or 5 per cent too low. He points out that the present prices are 50 per cent higher than those of former years, and that the revenue collections have not increased commensurately with the recorded increase in cultivation, especially with the very large increase shewn in the cultivation of the more valuable rice and garden lands. There would seem to be some misapprehension on this point as the rice land cultivation shown in the Superintendent's report (para 29) would seem to consist of the kandayam lands only, in which of course there has been in recent years a considerable increase owing to the gradual conversion of batayi into kandayam. Though the increase in the collections is not quite on the ratio of the recorded increase in cultivation, this is sufficiently accounted for by the fact that the lands recently taken up for cultivation are of inferior quality.

7. As regards the increase in prices, it must be remarked that such improvement in the money value of the returns for the ryots' outlay has alone hitherto prevented the break-down of the old assessments, and has rendered the revenue settle-

ments and collections comparatively easy. The Chief Commissioner would further observe that though in recent years the price of rice and staples generally shews a material increase, there has not been an equal improvement in the price of ragi, the main staple crop of the far more extensive dry lands.

8. Mr. Gordon does not therefore regard the proposed assessment on dry lands as by any means too low, but he hopes that the enhanced rate of assessment will be sustained by the general improvement in the condition of the people which has been attained in recent years, and he therefore sanctions the introduction of the proposed settlement at once with the usual guarantee for 30 years.

9. The general question of the garden assessment referred to in paras 19 and 20 of the Survey Commissioner's letter will be separately discussed.

10. With regard to the proposed re-separation of the Irrigation Cess from the land assessment noticed in para 21, the question suggested itself to the Chief Commissioner's consideration in connection with the scheme now under contemplation of making over to the ryots the up-keep of the smaller irrigation tanks, in return for which the ryots would be fairly entitled to the remission of the cess. It however occurs to Mr. Gordon that rather than disturb the settlement already carried into effect through a considerable portion of the Province, it may be found feasible to grant the remission of the cess in the pattas of the individual ryots, and this arrangement will have the advantage of placing clearly before them the responsibility for repairs which the remission carries with it.

11. In paras 57 and 58, the Superintendent reports that the 20 kavals in which the Amrut Mahal Department either possessed rights, or regarding which there was doubt, were measured as separate villages and left for disposal at time of settlement. With reference to this and to the remarks of the Officiating Commissioner thereon in para 9 of his letter, the Deputy Commissioner is requested to report at once whether as directed in para 17 of the Chief Commissioner's Minute, dated 19th August 1878, measures have not been adopted to simplify the boundaries of these kavals and to clear them of private rights upon the principles laid down in para 14 of the above Minute.

12. The transfer of villages to and from the neighbouring taluks proposed in paras 59 and 61 of the Superintendent's report is approved, and when the same is carried into effect the Deputy Commissioner is requested to submit a draft Notification for publication in the *Gazette*.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The **Survey and Settlement Commissioner in Mysore.**
„ **Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.**
„ **Superintendent, Revenue Survey.**
„ **Dy. Commissioner of Bangalore.**
„ **Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar, for information.**
„ **Dy. Accountant General.**

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Memorandum by the Survey and Inam Commissioner, Mysore, No. 1100, dated Poona, 30th September 1878.

The question discussed in the appended correspondence is forwarded for the decision of the Chief Commissioner with the following remarks

2. The Kanarese Nadgir or Nadig would appear to precisely correspond to the Mahratta Deshmuk or Desayi, the headman of a Purgunna, magni or sub-division, sometimes also called in Kanarese Districts the Nad Gauda. The Magni Shanbhog corresponds precisely to the Deshpandi, Nadkarni and Deshkulkarni. The Nadig, Nadgir, Nad Gaudà, Deshmuk or Desayi all denote the chief executive officer of a purgunna corresponding to the Patel of a village, and the Deshpandi, Nadkarni, Deshkulkarni and Magni Shanbhog all in the purgunna or magni correspond to the Shanbhog in a village and were the chief account officers of the sub-division and subordinate to the chief executive officer, as the Shanbhog is subordinate to the Patel or gauda of a village.

3. It is by no means uncommon to find considerable confusion of the offices of purgunna and village kulkarnis, the former having often supplanted the latter.

4. In the present case in the Shimoga Taluk we find—

First. Magni Shanbhogs who perform all the duties of the villages.

Second. Village Shanbhogs who perform no duties whatever, but in 22 villages hold office lands.

Third. Nadigs or Nadgirs who perform no duties as such, but it is generally found that the Magni Shanbhogs who have a monopoly of the duties are members of the same family as the Nadigs. This may be explained by the Nadigs, the most powerful officers of the ancient organization, having supplanted the Village Shanbhogs by members of their own family, the original Magni Shanbhogs who would ordinarily be of a different family having disappeared.

5. We have now to make the best of the above anomalous state of things which I believe will not prove uncommon in the Nagar Division.

6. It is clear that the emoluments of all the above offices are liable for service. The Magni Shanbhogs because they actually have appropriated the service which they could only have ostensibly done in virtue of their holding an office and emoluments enabling them to do so.

7. A Village Shanbhog with emoluments as such is clearly liable to service though another may have usurped the office.

8. The Nadig is an office holder and has evidently appropriated this particular service by inserting members of his family into the office to the detriment of the Village Shanbhogs.

9. It appears that it will be necessary to create about 27 new Shanbhogs' charges in the Shimoga Taluk.

In the first place I would propose to make the existing emoluments of all three classes of the above officers liable for providing the emoluments of the officiating Village Shanbhogs so far as they will go, confirming existing offices in the family now having the right of officiating, and any new office it may be necessary to create to the family hitherto not officiating. Thus, if one office is now held by a Magni Shanbhog which it becomes necessary to divide into two, I would propose to give the new creation to the Village Shanbhog thus utilizing that officer who now has emoluments but does nothing for them as far as possible.

10. In cases in which the Nadig has no connection whatever with the Magni Shanbhog, the latter being of a distinct family, the Nadig should be treated as a district hereditary officer for whose services there is no farther occasion and his land emoluments be assessed at half jodi in accordance with Rule VIII, clause F. of the Inam Rules, *provided that* there is no possibility of turning his services to account in a charge for which neither an existing Village Shanbhog or Magni Shabhog is available.

11. It certainly appears anomalous mixing up Nadgirs with Shanbhogs' offices, but it appears that in this case the holders of the offices have very generally already done so themselves, a practical fact which removes all theoretical anomaly.

12. In the above case in my recommendations I have followed as far as possible the course already sanctioned by Chief Commissioner's No. 10699—229 of the 7th March last in reference to a somewhat similar case reported on by me in the Gudibanda Taluk.

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From the Offg. Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Mysore, To the Survey and Settlement Commissioner of Mysore, No. 1121, dated Bangalore, 19th December 1876

In settling the final remuneration statements of village officers a difficulty has arisen with regard to the present interests of the Shanbhogs in some, especially of the Shimoga, Taluks about which I should feel obliged by your giving instructions.

2. As examples of the present state of affairs I will give the following instances.

First Example.—Village Koppa, Magni Holehonnur, Taluk Shimoga.

The Village Shanbhog Venkatramanappa holds Shanbhog Naukari inam land on which the profit is Rs. 49—10—9, he receives no pay from Government, claims, I understand, aya from the villagers, and does no work as Shanbhog.

The Magni Shanbhog Sitaramappa has no Naukari inam land, receives Rs. 42 pay from Government, and performs the duty of Shanbhog of Koppa and of 17 other villages in this Magni.

The Nadgir Krishnappa (who is the elder brother of Sitaramappa, the Magni Shanbhog) holds Naukari inam in 7 villages of this magni, of which the "Profit" amounts to Rs. 163—10—7, performs no duties as "Nadgir," receives no pay or aya. His brother Sitaramappa, the Magni Shanbhog, lives with the Nadgir and has a share in the Nadgir wattan.

Second Example.—In the Anveri Magni of the Shimoga Taluk consisting of 17 villages, Timmappa is the Village Shanbhog of two villages, has Naukari inam in these two villages and claims aya from the villagers; he receives no pay from Government, and performs no Government duties.

There are two Magni Shanbhogs Venkatramanappa and Venkappa, relations, who have no Naukari inam land, receive pay Rs. 21—1—6 each, and perform the duties of Shanbhog in 11 and 6 villages respectively.

The Nadgir of this Magni is Venkatramanappa, (one of the above Magni Shanbhogs), he holds Nadgir Naukari inam in 4 villages of the Magni, receives no pay from Government, no aya from the villagers, and performs no separate duties as Nadgir.

3. It will thus be seen that in the instances given above, and they are not isolated cases, there are three parties concerned, *viz.*, Village Shanbhog, Magni Shanbhog and Nadgir who draw directly or indirectly pay from Government, and that Government in return obtains work from one man only.

4. In all the cases I have examined in the Shimoga Taluk the Magni Shanbhogs are also Nadgirs, or their immediate relations, receiving pay in the former capacity, and holding Naukari inam lands in the latter.

5. In the Shimoga and some other taluks no quit-rent has been fixed on the Nadgirs inam lands by the Inam Department. In Sorab alone has quit-rent been imposed; on enquiring the reason of this from the Superintendent, Inam Settlements, he informs me that there is reason to suppose that Pûrnaiya resumed all these inams (Nadgi, Deshpandi, &c.,) and that they have been omitted in the subsequent inamti accounts and that now a further enquiry into them is being instituted.

In Superintendent's No. 260, dated 31st October 1876.

6. If Pûrnaiya really did order the resumption of all Nadgir, &c., inams, I do not understand how these lands still appear in all the taluk and village accounts as Nadgir inam, unless through fraud the resumption was either evaded or the Nadgirs subsequently altered the denomination of other lands possibly Shanbhog Umbli in their possession to the head of Nadgir umbli and then made use of the argument that they were in possession of no remuneration, as Shanbhogs to obtain the Shanbhog's "Pay" which they draw at present as Magni Shanbhogs.

7. The present state of affairs being as stated above, the following questions remain to be solved:—

1*st*. Are the profits on the so called Nadgir Naukari inam to be taken into account to make good the remuneration of the future Shanbhogs? *Vide* Chief Commissioner's No. 219, dated 27th October 1874.

2*nd*. In making out the new distribution of Shanbhog's charges and nomination of officiators (the nominations are made by the District authorities and not by the Survey)

are the Village Shanbhogs to have the right of performing the duties of Shanbhog in the villages in which they hold office lands, and the Magni Shanbhogs to have the right in the remainder?

3rd. If the 1st question is answered in the affirmative are the Nadgirs to have the future right of performing Shanbhog's duties in the villages in which they hold Nadgir umbli lands?

4th. Where both Village Shanbhog and Nadgir hold umbli lands in the same village, and the present officiator is a 3rd party, the Magni Shanbhog, who should in future perform the duties?

From the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, Mysore, To the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, No. 1726, dated Bangalore, 21st December 1876.

With reference to the above, it appears to me that it is impossible to form any opinion on the above cases till we know more of the real relative position of the Magni Shanbhogs and the Nadgirs. How the two separate offices came into existence and at what time, and what is the cause of the two offices being ordinarily in one family? This information might perhaps be obtained from the Amildars, and also from the Superintendent of Inam Settlements, who could ascertain if any information is available in the Chief Commissioner's Office.

From the Offg. Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Mysore, To the Superintendent of Inam Settlements in Mysore, No. 1139, dated Bangalore, 23rd December 1876.

In accordance with instructions contained in Survey Commissioner's Memo No. 1726 of 21st instant, I have the honor herewith to forward to you the enclosed correspondence and should feel much obliged if you could give me any information as to how the separate offices of Nadgir and Magni Shanbhog came into existence; the Magni Shanbhogs are in possession of no service lands, but the Nadgirs and Village Shanbhogs are, and you will possibly be able to inform me when service lands were appointed to these officials.

2. As mentioned in para 5 of my letter No. 1121 enclosed, I understand that the question of the service lands of the Nadgirs, &c., having been all resumed by Púrnaiya, is already under enquiry in your Office, but that such service lands still are borne on the taluk and village accounts appears undoubted.

From the Superintendent of Inam Settlements, Mysore, To the Superintendent of the Revenue Survey, Mysore, No. 435, dated Bangalore, 15th March 1877.

In reply to your No. 1139 of the 23rd December last, the annexure of which is returned, relative to the offices of the Nadgirs and Magni Shanbhogs, I have the honor to state that, on examining the Shanbhog Jhadti Patti of 1840, it would appear that the Nadig had two or more Magnis under him, and that the inam land and cash payments for each Magni were entered against his name, but opposite to each Magni is given the name of a son, brother, or Gumasta as the office-holders. The Nadgir evidently retained the land and allowed the cash payment to go to the Magni Shanbhog.

2. In the same account, a remark is entered that the Nadig umbli, &c., had been resumed and a new Tasdik or payment for Shanbhogs had been fixed since 1800.

3. In the Jari Inamti account of 1803 for the Shimoga Taluk it is noted that out of 1014 P. 5 F., 9 V. of umbli inams, only 24 pagodas were to be continued to the ferry-men, the remainder being resumed.

4. I have not been able as yet to trace the origin of the Village Shanbhog, and his inam, but am awaiting the result of a reference to the Commissioner of the Division and to the Amil.

From the Superintendent of Inam Settlements, Mysore, To the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, No. 7, dated 9th April 1877.

In continuation of my No. 435 of the 15th ultimo, I have the honor to state that I can find no further authentic record regarding the Village Shanbhogs of the Shimoga Taluk.

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2. The Nadigs of the Holchonnur Firka declare that separate Shanbhogs were employed in 1805 from the members of their family on a fixed payment for the preparation of the village accounts.

3. The Nadigs of the Aimur Firka declare, on the other hand, that the Village Shanbhogs were maintained as Government servants from the beginning, and that the Nadigs were appointed at a time when the villagers were in a turbulent state and refused to pay their rents to the Village Shanbhog.

4. Such umbli lands were settled on ½ quit-rent in the Taluks of Harihar and Sorab, but their settlement was not taken up in the Taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, &c., as they were not borne out by the inamti accounts, which in fact shewed that such umbli lands had been zafted and it was thought apparently by Colonel Clerk that the shist and patti composed the full assessment. It appears, however, that remissions had been made on the patti, and, in a few cases on the shist, though when and on what authority does not appear. The patti imposed on these lands was not equal to that imposed on the ryots' lands.

5. It will now be necessary to decide whether any of these umbli lands are to be taken up and settled by this department on ½ quit-rent for commutation of the implied service.

6. On looking over the registers of the late Harihar Taluk, I observe that the land inams of the *Village* Shanbhogs have been reserved for settlement by you, with the remark that the service is performed by the *Magni* Shanbhog. I shall feel obliged by your informing me whether these inams have been disposed of by you.

Inam Settlement Office, No. 3, dated Bangalore, 9th April 1877.

Has the honor to forward copy of the above to the Inam Commissioner for consideration and orders, in continuation of No. 118, dated 15th ultimo.

Survey and Inam Commissioner's Office, No. 603, dated Poona, 25th April 1877.

Forwarded to Major Grant for report as to the present position of the Nadigs and Magni and Village Shanbhogs of the Shimoga Taluk, and whether all these officials can be turned to use in the re-organization of the village officers.

2. Report on para 6 above is also requested separately.

From the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Mysore, To the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, Mysore, No: 428, dated Tarikere, 16th May 1877.

I have the honor, with reference to your memo No. 603 of the 25th ultimo, and marginally noted correspondence, to submit the following report on the present position of the Nadigs and Magni and Village Shanbhogs of the Shimoga Taluk.

Survey Superintendent's letter No. 1121, dated 19th December 1876.
Survey Commissioner's No. 1726, dated 21st December 1876.
Survey Superintendent's No. 1139, dated 23rd December 1876.
Inam Superintendent's No. 435, dated 15th March 1877.
Inam Superintendent's No. 7, dated 9th April 1877.

2. I called up all the Shanbhogs of the taluk on the 14th instant, and elicited the following information :—

1*st*. The whole of the Shanbhogs' work is performed by the Magni Shanbhogs.

2*nd*. The Village Shanbhogs perform no work whatever, but in 22 villages they are registered as Village Shanbhog and hold office land, but the work is done by the Magni Shanbhog.

3*rd*. The Nadigs perform no work whatever in virtue of their office of Nadig, but the Magni Shanbhogs are in almost every case of the same family as the Nadigs.

4*th*. Aya is paid to none of the three classes of officials under report.

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3. The Magni Shanbhogs assert their claim to the whole taluk and dispute the right of the Village Shanbhogs even to the 22 villages above mentioned. Their claim is based upon their always having done the work. As, however, the Village Shanbhogs are registered and hold office land in the 22 villages in question, they cannot be disturbed. The remaining 256 villages will provide amply for the Magni Shanbhogs and some 27 new charges will be made in addition to those at present existing.

4. It remains to decide what is to be done with the so called Nadig umbli lands. To me it appears that they should undoubtedly be dealt with by the Survey Department. If these lands are not held for the performance of Shanbhog's work, they are certainly not held for any other service now performed. From para 2 of Inam Superintendent's letter No. 435 of the 15th March 1877, it appears that in the Shanbhogs' "Jhadti Patti" of 1840 the "Nadig Umbli" is stated to have been resumed and a new Tasdik or payment for Shanbhogs fixed since 1800. Directly this question is disposed of, the final remuneration can be calculated.

5 With reference to para 6 of the Inam Superintendent's letter No. 7 of the 9th April 1877, I am unable to give any explanation as I do not know what registers are alluded to. I imagine he simply alludes to the fact that only the Village Shanbhog inam was dealt with by the Survey Department, the Nadig umbli being disposed of by the Inam Department.

From the Inam Superintendent, Mysore, To the Inam Commissioner, Mysore,
No. 38, dated Bangalore, 4th September 1877.

This Office No. 3 of the 9th April 1877.

In continuation of the above, has the honor to forward for consideration and orders, copy of docket No 238 of the 16th instant, from the Commissioner, Nagar Division, and of its enclosure, regarding the Village Shanbhogs, &c, in the Shimoga District.

From the Commissioner, Nagar Division, To the Superintendent of Inam Settlements,
Mysore, No. 238, dated 16th August 1877.

With reference to his letter No. 332, dated 9th January last, has the honor to forward for information copy of a letter No. 519 of the 6th instant, with enclosures in original, from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga, on the subject of Magni Shanbhogs in the Shimoga District having no service lands.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, To the Commissioner of the Nagar Division,
No. 519, dated 4th August 1877.

With reference to your docket No. 1020, dated 16th January last, forwarding copy of letter No. 332, dated 9th idem, from the Superintendent of Inams, I have the honor to state that Nadig umbli lands exist in the Taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab, and that reports received from the Amildars of these taluks shewing the result of the enquiry instituted by them into the points raised in the letter are herein enclosed.

In the absence of reliable accounts and documents the question raised cannot be satisfactorily answered. The oral evidence gathered by the Amildars is conflicting; some of the Nadigs state that Nadigs existed prior to Shanbhogs and that the latter were entertained afterwards in order to help the Nadigs, while others allege quite to the contrary.

Nadig Bindappa of Shimoga possesses a copper plate grant of Hari Rao of Anegondi, dated Shalivahana Shaka 1276 of Vijaya year corresponding to A. D. 1354, in which Bindappa's ancestor Kasappa is granted certain umbli lands on account of his writing up Nadig and other accounts.

This grant has been forwarded to the Inam Superintendent by the taluk authorities; and if genuine, it shews that the office of Nadig was in existence in that distant period.

But, I think, there can be no doubt that the office of Shanbhog has a much more ancient origin, as it exists generally throughout the country and forms part of the old village or Barabaloti system

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From the Commissioner, Nagar Division, To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, No. 1037—Genl. No. 512, dated 17th March 1879.

In returning the enclosures of his No. 7077—54 of the 26th November last, has the honor to forward copy of Shimoga Deputy Commissioner's letter No. 1112 of the 8th instant, stating that no information is available as to when and why the services of Nadigs were dispensed with.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, To the Commissioner, Nagar Division, No. 1112, dated Camp Benmavalli, 8th March 1879.

In returning the original enclosures of your No. 772, dated 9th December last, I have the honor to inform you that the Amildars report that no information is available as to when and why the services of the Nadigs were dispensed with. The general impression is that since the time of Púrnaiya they perform no work although in the enjoyment of umbli lands.

2. The umbli lands of Harihar and Sorab were settled by myself in the Inam Department, and as far as I can ascertain, those of Shimoga are of the same kind, the tenure resting on the total or partial remission of the subsequent patti addition to the ancient shist.

3. In Harihar and Sorab all the Nadigumblis were dealt with under Land Inam Rule VIII, F.

From the Commissioner, Nagar Division, To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, No. 101—Rev. 24, dated 30th April 1879.

In returning the enclosure of his No. 12376—78 of the 31st ultimo, has the honor to forward copy of Shimoga Deputy Commissioner's letter No. 46 of the 21st instant, regarding the services of Nadigs.

From the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, To the Commissioner, Nagar Division, No. 46, dated Shimoga, 21st April 1879.

With reference to your docket No. 36, dated 8th instant, I have the honor to state that the Nadigs alluded to were supernumerary Shanbhogs employed in the Taluk Cutcherry, though designated Nadigs in the Shimoga Taluk, Chillarbab Shanbhogs in the Honnali Taluk and Magni Shanbhogs in Shikarpur. Their services were dispensed with in 1875, *vide* correspondence noted in the margin. They were distinct from the Nadigs who enjoy umbli lands rendering no service, and no information is available as already reported as to when this latter class of servants ceased to perform any service.

Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 5527—349, dated 30th Oct. 1874.
To Commissioner, No. 951, dated 10th December 1874.
From do No. 1257, dated 4th Jan. 1875.
From do No. 1320, dated 21st January 1875.

2. The Faisalati account received with your docket is herewith returned.

No. 1615—R. 56, DATED BANGALORE, 17TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The three offices referred to are evidently of distinct origin. The Village Shanbhogs belong to the original village institution of the country.

2. The Nadigs (not including in that class the few of that name recently employed on pay as supernumerary Shanbhogs to assist the Taluk Cutcherry) were also of ancient origin being Purgunna Officers, who however as elsewhere long ago ceased to perform any definite duties though continuing to enjoy their umbli or inam lands.

3. The Magni Shanbhogs would seem to be of more recent creation having been employed in recent times in consequence of the inefficiency of the Village Shanbhogs. They were naturally taken from the trained accountants of the Nadig's family or employed on the Nadig's responsibility, but had no necessary connection with the Nadig institution which represented a Purgunna and not a village office. The Magni Shanbhog's remuneration appears to have been fixed separately in money by Diván Púrnaiya, who at the same time ordered the resumption of the umbli lands of the Nadigs, though the order appears to have been either not carried into effect or evaded. The

Magni Shanbhogs by their superior ability managed to supplant the Village Shanbhogs in their duties, so that the latter do not now perform the village duties though they continue to enjoy the inam lands of their office in 22 villages.

4. In this view of the case, the Magni and the Village Shanbhogs and their emoluments would alone form the available means for the new organization of village accountant, and the conflicting claims of these two classes of officers may be disposed of in the manner proposed in para 3 of the Superintendent Major Grant's letter to the Survey Commissioner, dated 16th May 1877. The Magni Shanbhogs who now officiate have a preferential claim to the village offices, but it is also desirable and proper that the Village Shanbhogs should also be provided in the villages in which they hold their inam lands, and this Major Grant would seem to think feasible as the existing charges of the Shanbhogs are too large and require to be split up.

5. The umbli lands of the Nadigs where they have continued to be enjoyed without interruption as inam, notwithstanding Diván Púrnaiya's intention to resume them, should be brought under the Inam settlement and enfranchised on half quit-rent under Clause F of Rule VIII of the Inam Rules.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Survey and Settlement Commissioner, Mysore.
„ Commissioner of the Nagar Division.

READ—

Letter No. 364, dated 22nd April 1879, from the Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, requesting that sanctions of alienations of land from Survey numbers for building purposes may invariably be intimated direct to him.

No. 1599—REV. 55, DATED BANGALORE, 17TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—Sanctions for the alienation of surveyed lands for building sites will in future be communicated to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey also. The Deputy Commissioners are requested to distinguish the surveyed lands clearly from others in their statements submitted to this Office.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Mysore.
„ Commissioners of Divisions.
„ Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

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READ—

Nundydroog Division Commissioner's letter No. 140, dated the 19th April 1879.

No. 579—REV. 64, DATED BANGALORE, 19TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—In the above letter the Officiating Commissioner submits his proposals for the revision of the Establishments of the Deputy Commissioners, Judicial and General Assistants, Munsiffs and Amildars.

2. In the English Department of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, the number of Clerks, including the Head Clerk, is proposed to be reduced from 6 to 5, the Translator in the Bangalore District being also abolished. Slightly higher rates of salary are provided for the officials of the Bangalore District in this as in other Departments, which is allowable on account of the expensiveness of the station. A salary of Rs. 100, however, ought to suffice for the Head Clerk in the Bangalore District and Rs. 80 for the other two Districts, the Deputy Commissioners themselves not urging higher salaries and the offices carrying with them far less responsibilities than the Sheristadarships. With this modification the proposals under this head are approved.

3. In the Revenue Department a progressive scale of pay rising from Rs. 100 to Rs. 150 is proposed for the Revenue Sheristadar. Progressive scales of pay are inconvenient in the lower grades of appointments, where merit is easily rewarded by promotion to higher appointments. They should therefore be discontinued throughout the whole of these Establishments. The Revenue Sheristadar is not intended to be an independent but a subordinate official who may naturally look forward to an Amildarship for promotion. A salary of Rs. 100 ought therefore to suffice for the appointment, but Rs. 150 may be given in the Bangalore District. The other changes in this branch consist in the abolition of a separate Muzrayi Gumasta, separate Maramat Accountant and Gumastas, and 2 out of the 3 Sayer Accountants and the appointment of a 3rd Munshi on a salary of Rs. 20, which are all approved. The proposed number of Accountants is 8, while in the Bangalore District it is 7, that being the existing number. The lower number ought to suffice for the other two Districts also, and the pay from the 3rd to the 7th Accountant in all the three Districts may be graduated thus:—

1	Accountant on Rs.	..	30
2	Do on Rs.	..	25
2	Do on Rs.	..	20

4. In the Judicial Department, the withdrawal of civil jurisdiction from the Deputy Commissioners renders considerable reductions feasible. Only 3 Munshis and Accountants are proposed to be retained for magisterial work and returns. This is approved. The Head Munshi will be responsible for the safe custody of property and exhibits before the Court, for the safe custody and punctual payment to treasuries of fines paid into Court or recovered. The magisterial records of all Subordinate Magistrates will, after being arranged, be recorded in the District Magistrate's record-room; the retention of one Record-keeper for this branch is therefore sanctioned, but a Mutchi in addition to a Dufterbund is not considered necessary. A Stamp Vendor for each District Head-Quarter station, chargeable to the Judicial Department, is also retained for the sale of Court Fees stamps.

5. In the Treasury Branch, a progressive scale of pay rising from Rs. 50 to 100 is proposed for the Treasurer in Kolar and Túmkúr, the present scale rising from Rs. 50 to 75. A fixed pay of Rs. 70 would be better, the Treasurer's pay in the Bangalore District being fixed at Rs. 100. There are 2 Shroffs provided for each District on Rs. 20 and 10, rising to Rs. 30 and 20 respectively. Their pay may be better fixed permanently at Rs. 25 and 20, adequate securities being taken to make them jointly responsible with the Treasurer for the money in the Treasury. The question of securities and of the arrangements required for the safety of public money and pro-

perty in the District and Taluk Treasuries should be separately brought forward by the Deputy Commissioners for consideration In the Bangalore District, 3 Shroffs are provided. The Deputy Commissioner asks for only 2, which number ought to suffice on salaries of Rs. 25 and 20. The Accountants and Clerks provided for this Department are 7 in Túmkúr and Kolar, and 10 in the Bangalore District, there being in the latter a separate Ledgerer, a Cash Accountant, and a Stamp Gumasta, the nature of whose duties is not explained. The money order and other miscellaneous work in this District must be heavier. The Nagadi Gumasta is proposed to be abolished; the propriety of this is not clear as it is believed that he records the Treasurer's daily transactions. The number of hands proposed to be retained, however, is large and would seem to be required under the present system of preparing and compiling Treasury accounts, District and Taluk, in this Department. There are thus two separate Account Departments, one in the Revenue Branch of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, preparing revenue as well as other statistical returns, and the other in the Treasury Branch, preparing the accounts of general receipts and expenditure. The discrepancies between the two sets of accounts often lead to needless correspondence; on the other hand, the transactions in the District Treasury are complicated by mixing up with them the accounts of the Taluk Treasuries. A better system would be to confine the District Treasury to its own transactions, inclusive of receipts from, and remittances to, taluks for which but a few hands on small pay would be required; and to have a general Account Department under the Treasury Officer for all accounts required from the District. The Gumastas required to assist the Revenue Sheristadar in the jamabandi and other work should be separate. Pending however such a rearrangement hereafter of the number of hands provided for in the Revenue and Treasury Departments, it may be expedient to leave the Treasury Department as it is undisturbed, except in respect of the alterations sanctioned above as regards the Treasurers and the Shroffs.

6. The reductions proposed in the peons' and other menial establishments are approved, the number provided for the Bangalore District being slightly in excess of the others.

7. For Assistant Commissioners, the scale of establishment provided, *viz.*, 4 Clerks and Accountants for English as well as vernacular work, is liberal, as these officers will be merely General Assistants and rarely in charge of Sub-Divisions. The separate English Clerk and Record-keeper provided for these officers will be unnecessary for the reasons already assigned; the four hands allowed ought to suffice to keep the current records. Only 3 peons and no Daffedar are provided except in the Bangalore District. This should be supplied. The number of these Assistant Commissioners' establishments must be regulated by the number of General Assistant Commissioners retained. The establishment under the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Treasury is part of the Deputy Commissioner's establishment, and as this Assistant Commissioner will have magisterial powers and duties, a Magisterial Munshi should be deputed in case of need from the Deputy Commissioner's establishment, for work with the Treasury Assistant Commissioner. It is believed that such deputation will not frequently be called for.

8. No change is proposed in the existing establishments of the Judicial Assistants except in the Bangalore District, where one Munshi is reduced giving an increase of salary to the others. In lieu also of one Record-keeper on Rs. 50, an Assistant Nazir on Rs. 25 is proposed, leaving thus no provision for the charge and arrangement of the current records as in the other Judicial Assistants' Courts. As this work cannot conveniently be thrown on the Record Department of the Civil and Sessions Judge's Court, a Record-keeper may be entertained for the remaining 25 Rs. in the present Record-keeper's pay. In each court the Head Munshi will be Head Munshi and Nazir, and will be required to give security accordingly. In place of an "Assistant Nazir" there will be appointed to assist him a "Nazir's Munshi" who will receive Rs. 25 in Bangalore and Rs. 20 in the other Districts.

9. No change is proposed in the establishments of the Munsiffs' Courts which have been but lately organized on an economical scale. Instead of one Daffedar on Rs. 6 and 3 peons on Rs. 5 each, a Daffedar on Rs. 6 and 2 peons on Rs. 6 each are proposed. This reduction of one peon is not desirable as the Munsiffs will have additional magisterial work thrown on them.

10. The Taluk Establishments in respect of peons have been lately revised and it is not now proposed to alter these. The main changes proposed are the reduction of Revenue Gumastas from 4 to 3, the reduction of the Record-keeper's pay from 20 to 15 Rs., the abolition of the Sayer Watmutsaddi and the Raktwan, and the addition, on the other hand, of a Head Gumasta on Rs. 20 and of a 2nd or Assistant Munshi who may receive Rs. 12, instead of Rs. 10 as proposed. In the Bangalore Taluk, the number of Revenue Gumastas is reduced from 7 to 5 and the Magisterial Gumastas from 3 to 2, there being only one of the latter in the other taluks. These changes are approved. The Shroff's pay, progressive scales being discontinued, may be fixed at the maximum rate of Rs. 15.

11. The Peshkars for the most part are proposed to be abolished, retaining only 2 for each District, to be available to take up the charge of Taluks temporarily on emergencies. It seems undesirable to retain them with such an indefinite object. They may therefore all be abolished except in the Bangalore Taluk, where one may be retained on a salary of Rs. 70, under the designation of Deputy Amildar.

12. As the Head Gumastas will relieve Taluk Sheristadars of a considerable portion of their account work, the latter officers will be available to a larger extent than heretofore for the duties now discharged by Peshkars. To secure a better class of men for these offices, and considering that they will be the grades from which promotions to Amildarships will largely take place, the pay of the Taluk Sheristadars may be raised from 35 to 40 Rs., and in some few of the important Taluks in each District to 50 Rs. The increase however is not to be given necessarily to present incumbents, nor until their qualifications are thoroughly tested and certified.

*3 In the Bangalore District.
2 In the Kolar District, and
2 In the Tumkúr Dist.

13. The Deputy Commissioner of Kolar proposes 2 peons to each Shekdar. This matter should be brought forward separately along with a scheme for securing greater efficiency in this class of officials as the representatives of the Amildars in their respective divisions of the Taluks. The revision of the number of Taluks also remains to be considered.

14. The Deputy Commissioner also proposes to do away with the Kotval in Sidlaghatta where there is no Bungalow. This will be considered in a separate revision of the Travellers' Bungalow establishment, and any other minor establishments not included in the above proposals, which the Deputy Commissioners are requested to report on.

15. A revised list of the establishments prepared in accordance with the foregoing orders accompanies. The Officiating Commissioner is requested to carry the changes into effect at once, obtaining previous orders in regard to the appointments which exceed his powers of sanction, and eventually submitting a list shewing how the existing officials have been disposed of in the re-organization.

16. With regard to the Division Commissioner's establishments, a scale for the Court of the Civil and Sessions Judge having been already sanctioned, the Officiating Commissioner, in dispensing with the services of the remainder, is requested to retain temporarily such portion of the Record Establishment as may be required to retain charge of the Revenue records, English and Vernacular, until they are otherwise arranged for.

17. In special cases where the appointments are not abolished but only the salaries reduced, and where the incumbents are competent, they may be recommended for

a personal allowance to make up the difference, but these should be only in rare and exceptional cases.

18. By these arrangements a total monthly saving of Rs. 2,338 or Rs. 28,276 per annum is effected, a result chiefly due to the reductions in the Judicial Department of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, in the Establishments of the General Assistant Commissioners and in that of Taluk Peshkars.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner in Mysore.
„ Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.
„ Deputy Commissioners, Bangalore, Kolar and Túmkúr Districts.
„ Deputy Accountant General.
„ Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions, for information.

Statement shewing the Present and Future Scales of Establishments of Deputy Commissioners, Judicial and General Assistant Commissioners, Munsifs and Amildars in the Nundydroog Division.

Present Scale.									Future Scale.									Savings.	
Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Túmkúr District.		Total.		Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Túmkúr District.		Total.			
	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.		No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.									DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.										
English Department.									*English Department.*										
Head Clerk	1	140	1	100	1	100			Head Clerk	1	100	1	80	1	80				
Translator	1	70	...	...	...	...			Deputy Clerk	1	70	1	50	1	50				
Deputy Clerk	1	70	1	50	1	50			3rd "	1	40	1	35	1	35				
3rd "	1	40	1	35	1	35			4th "	1	35	1	30	1	30				
4th "	1	35	1	30	1	30			5th "	1	25	1	25	1	25				
5th "	1	25	1	25	1	25			Mutchi	1	10	1	10	1	10				
6th "	1	20	1	20	1	20			Orderly	1	6	1	6	1	6				
Mutchi	1	10	1	10	1	10													
Gollar	1	6	1	6	1	6													
Orderly	...	...	1	6	...	...													
Total.....	9	416	9	282	8	276	26	974		7	286	7	236	7	236	21	758	5	216

Present Scale.									Future Scale.											
Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Túmkúr District.		Total.		Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Túmkúr District.		Total.		Savings.	
	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.		No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.
Revenue Department.									*Revenue Department.*										
Revenue Sheristadar	1	100	1	100	1	100			Revenue Sheristadar	1	150	1	100	1	100				
Head Accountant	1	70	1	60	1	70			Head Accountant	1	70	1	60	1	60				
Deputy Accountant	1	50	1	40	1	50			Deputy Accountant	1	50	1	40	1	40				
Accountants at Rs. 25	5	125	4	100	5	125			Accountant	1	30	1	30	1	30				
Sayer Head Accountant ...	1	35	1	35	1	35			Do at 25	2	50	2	50	2	50				
Do Accountants at Rs. 20 ...	2	40	2	40	2	40			Do at 20	2	40	2	40	2	40				
Head Record-keeper	1	35	1	35	1	35			Sayer and Muzrayi Accountant ...	1	20	1	20	1	20				
Asstt. do at Rs. 20 ...	2	40	2	40	2	40			Head Record-keeper	1	35	1	35	1	35				
Head Munshi	1	50	1	50	1	50			Asstt Record keepers at Rs. 20 ...	2	40	2	40	2	40				
Dy do	1	30	1	30	1	30			Head Munshi	1	50	1	50	1	50				
Maramat Accountant	1	25	...	...	1	25			Deputy Munshi	1	30	1	30	1	30				
Do Gumastas at Rs. 15 ...	2	30	2	30	2	30			3rd do	1	20	1	20	1	20				
Muzrayi Gumasta	1	15	1	15	1	15			Mutchi	1	10	1	10	1	10				
Mutchi	1	10	1	10	1	10			Dufterbund	1	6	1	5	1	5				
Dufterbunds at Rs. 5	2	10	2	10	2	10			Orderly	1	6	1	6	1	6				
Orderly	..	...	1	6	..	...													
Total.....	23	665	22	601	23	665	6	1,931	Total	18	607	18	536	18	536	54	1,679	14	252

Judicial Department.																							
Judicial Sheristadar	...	...	1	100	1	100	1	100			Head Munshi	...	...	1	60	1	50	1	50				
Head Munshi	...	...	1	40	1	40	1	40			2nd do and Accountant		...	1	30	1	30	1	30				
2nd do	...	...	1	30	1	25	1	30			3rd do do		...	1	25	1	25	1	25				
3rd do	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...			Record-keeper	...	...	1	30	1	30	1	30				
Accountants at Rs. 20	...	...	2	40	2	40	2	40			Dufterbund	...	...	1	5	1	5	1	5				
Nazir	...	...	1	30	1	30	1	30			Court Peons at Rs. 6	...	...	2	12	2	12	2	12				
Head Record-keeper	...	..	1	30	1	25	1	30			Stamp Vendor	...	...	1	30	1	25	1	25				
Asstt. Record-keeper	...	...	1	20	1	15	1	20															
Gollar	..	...	1	5	...	...	1	5															
Mutchi	...	...	1	10	1	10	1	10															
Daffedar	...	...	1	8	1	8	1	8															
Peons on Rs. 6	...	...	3	18	4	24	3	18															
Stamp Vendor	...	..	1	30	1	25	1	25															
Dufterbund	...	..	...	...	1	5	...	..															
Farash	..	...	...	...	1	4	...	...															
	Total .	...	16	381	17	351	15	356	48	1,088		Total.....		8	192	8	177	8	177	24	546	21	542
Treasury Department.											*Treasury Department.*												
Treasurer	..	...	1	150	1	50	1	50			Treasurer	...	...	1	100	1	70	1	70				
Head Shroff	...	...	1	25	1	20	1	20			Head Shroff	...	...	1	25	1	25	1	25				
2nd do	...	...	1	10	1	10	1	10			Asstt. do	...	...	1	20	1	20	1	20				
3rd do	...	...	1	10	.	...	...	...			Head Accountant	...	...	1	50	1	40	1	40				
Head Accountant	...	...	1	50	1	40	1	40			Dy. do	...	...	1	35	1	30	1	30				
Dy. do	...	...	1	35	1	30	1	30			Accountants at Rs. 25	...	...	1	25	2	50	2	50				
3rd do	...	...	1	25	2	50	2	50			Cash Accountant	...	...	1	30	...	...	...	..				
Cash Accountant	..	...	1	30	...	...	...	...			Asstt. do	...	...	1	25	.	...	...	...				
Asstt. do	...	...	1	25	...	...	...	...			Do do	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	..				
Do do	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	...			Nagadi Gumasta	...	...	1	15	1	15	1	15				
Nagadi Gumasta	...	...	1	15	1	15	1	15			Munshi	...	...	1	20	1	15	1	15				
Munshi	...	...	1	20	1	15	1	15			English Clerk and Record-keeper		...	1	15	1	25	1	25				
English Clerk and Record-keeper		...	1	15	1	25	1	25			Ledgerer	...	..	1	30	...	...	...	...				
Accountant	...	...	0	0	1	20	1	20			Gollars at 6 Rs.	...	...	3	18	2	12	2	12				
Ledgerer	...	..	1	30	...	...	...	...			Stamp Gumasta	...	...	1	15	...	..	...	...				
Gollars at Rs. 6	...	...	3	18	2	12	2	12			Accountant	..	...	0	...	1	20	1	20				
Stamp Gumasta	...	...	1	15	...	...	...	...			Mutchi	...	...	1	12	...	...	...	...				
Mutchi	...	..	1	12	...	...	...	...															
	Total.....		19	505	13	287	13	287	45	1,079		Total.....		18	455	13	322	13	322	44	1,099	1 + 20 Increase.	

Present Scale.								Future Scale.									
Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Túmkúr District.		Total.		Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Túmkúr District.		Total.		Savings.	
	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.		No.	Pay	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.
Registration Department.									*Registration Department.*										
Clerks	3	80	2	50	2	50	7	160	Clerks	3	80	2	50	2	50	7	160	...	...
Office Servants.									*Office Servants.*										
Jamedar	1	12	1	12	1	12			Jamedar	1	12	1	12	1	12				
Daffedar	1	9	1	9	1	9			Daffedar	1	9	1	9	1	9				
Peons at Rs. 7	4	28	4	28	4	28			Peons at Rs. 7	4	28	4	28	4	28				
Do at „ 6	13	78	5	30	8	48			Do at „ 5	8	48	5	30	5	30				
Raktvan	1	6	1	6	...	...			Farashi	1	4	1	4	1	4				
Farashis at 4 Rs.	2	8	1	4	2	8			Mashalchi	1	6	1	6	1	6				
Mashalchis at 5 Rs.	2	10	2	10	2	10			Lascars at Rs. 7	2	14	2	14	2	14				
Lascars at 7 Rs.	2	14	2	14	2	14													
Total.....	26	165	17	113	20	129	63	407	Total.....	18	121	15	103	15	103	48	327	15	80
Total Dy. Commissioner's Office.....	96	2,212	80	1,684	81	1,763	257	5,659		72	1,741	63	1,424	63	1,424	198	4,589	59	1,070

1st Assistant Commissioner's Court.													*General Assistant Commissioner's Court.*											
Naib Sheristadar	1	50	1	50	1	50							Head Munshi	1	50	1	50	1	50					
Head Munshi	1	35	1	35	1	35							Deputy do	1	35	1	35	1	35					
Munshis at Rs. 25	3	75	2	50	3	75							2nd do	1	25	1	25	1	25					
English Clerk	1	35	1	25	1	35							Accountant	1	25	1	25	1	25					
Record-keeper	1	20	1	20	1	20							Daffedar	1	8	1	8	1	8					
Daffedar	1	8	1	8	1	8							Peons at Rs. 7	2	14	2	14	2	14					
Peons at Rs. 7	2	14	2	14	2	14							Do „ 6	1	6	1	6	1	6					
Do at „ 6	2	12	2	12	2	12							Lascar	1	7	1	7	1	7					
Lascars at Rs. 7	2	14	1	7	1	7							Mashalchi	1	5	1	5	1	5					
Mashalchi at Rs. 5	1	5	2	10	2	10																		
Total.....	15	268	14	241	15	266	44	775					Total..	10	175	10	175	10	175	30	525	14	250	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court.													*General Assistant Commissioner's Court.*											
The same as 1st Assistant Commissioner's Court, with the exception of a Munshi on Rs. 25 and a Lascar on Rs. 7, and with the addition of a Mashalchi on Rs. 5	14	241	14	241	...	..	28	482	As above	10	175	—	...	...	...	10	175	18	307					
3rd Assistant Commissioner's Court.									*3rd Assistant Commissioner's Court.* ...															
Same as 2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	14	241	...	...	...	...	14	241	Nil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	241			

Present Scale.

Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Tumkur District.		Total.	
	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.
Judicial Assistant Commissioner's Court.								
Sheristadar ...	1	70	1	50	1	50		
English Clerk ...	1	50	1	35	1	35		
Dy. do ...	1	30	...	...	...	...		
Head Munshi ...	1	30	1	35	1	35		
Munshis at 25 Rs. ...	2	50	2	50	2	50		
Munshis at 20 Rs. ...	4	80	2	40	2	40		
Record-keeper ...	1	50	1	20	1	20		
Nazir	...	0	1	20	1	20		
Mutchi	1	10	1	7	1	7		
Daffedar	1	8	1	8	1	8		
Peons at 7 Rs. ...	2	14	2	14	2	14		
Do at 6 Rs. ...	2	12	2	12	2	12		
Mashalchi	1	6	1	5	1	5		
Sweeper	1	5	...	...	...	...		
Total.....	19	415	16	296	16	296	51	1,007

Future Scale.

Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Tumkur District.		Total.		Savings.
	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	Pay.
Judicial Assistant Commissioner's Court.									
Sheristadar ...	1	70	1	50	1	50			
Clerk and Translator ..	1	50	...	...	...	...			
Clerk	1	30	1	35	1	35			
Head Munshi and Nazir ...	1	40	1	35	1	35			
Deputy Munshi and Accountant ..	1	30	...	...	...	...			
Munshis at 25... ...	...	...	2	50	2	50			
Do 20... ...	4	80	2	40	2	40			
Nazir's Munshi ..	1	25	1	20	1	20			
Record-keeper ...	1	25	1	20	1	20			
Mutchi	1	10	1	7	1	7			
Daffedar	1	8	1	8	1	8			
Peons at Rs 7 ...	2	14	2	14	2	14			
Do 6 ...	2	12	2	12	2	12			
Mashalchi	1	6	1	5	1	5			
Sweeper	1	5	...	...	...	...			
Total...	19	405	16	296	16	296	51	997	10

Munsiffs' Courts.								
3 in Bangalore, 3 in Kolar and 2 in Tumkur District.								
Head Munshi	1	30	1	30	1	30		
Dy. do	1	25	1	25	1	25		
3rd do	1	20	1	20	1	20		
Gumastas at Rs. 15	2	30	2	30	2	30		
Gollar	1	6	1	6	1	6		
Daffedar	1	6	1	6	1	6		
Peons at Rs. 5	3	15	3	15	3	15		
Mashalchi	1	4	1	4	1	4		
Farash	1	4	1	4	1	4		
Total for one Court.....	12	140	12	140	12	140		
Total for all the Munsiffs' Courts in the District.	36	420	36	420	24	280	96	1,120
TALUK ESTABLISHMENTS.								
BANGALORE DISTRICT.								
Bangalore Taluk.								
Sheristadar	1	50						
Head Munshi	1	25						
Deputy Munshi	1	20						
Nagadi Gumasta	1	15						
Revenue Gumastas at Rs. 15 ...	7	105						
Judicial do at Rs. 15 ...	3	45						
Record-keeper	1	20						
Shroffs at Rs. 10 and 8 ...	2	18						
Gollars at Rs. 5	3	15						
Raktvan	1	6						
Sweeper	1	4						
Mashalchis at Rs. 5	3	15						
Sayar Wat-Mutsaddi	7	12						
Total.....	26	350						

Munsiffs' Courts.								
3 in Bangalore, 3 in Kolar and 2 in Tumkur District.								
No change.								
Total ..	36	420	36	420	24	280	96	1,120
TALUK ESTABLISHMENTS.								
BANGALORE DISTRICT.								
Bangalore Taluk.								
Sheristadar	1	50						
Head Munshi	1	25						
Deputy do	1	20						
Head Gumasta	1	20						
Nagadi do	1	15						
Revenue Gumastas at Rs. 15 each ...	5	75						
Magisterial do at 15 Rs. ...	2	30						
Record-keeper	1	15						
Shroffs at 15 and 10 Rs.	2	25						
Gollars at Rs 5	2	10						
Sweeper	1	4						
Mashalchis at Rs. 5	3	15						
Total...	21	304						

Present Scale.									Future Scale.										
Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Tumkúr District.		Total.		Designation.	Bangalore District.		Kolar District.		Tumkúr District.		Total.		Savings.	
	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.		No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.	No.	Pay.
									Scale for the other Talúks, 8 in number.										
Add establishment of other Talúks, 8 in number	0	1,750							Sheristadar ...	1	40								
									Munshi ...	1	20								
									Assistant Munshi ..	1	12								
									Head Gumasta ...	1	20								
									Nagadi Gumasta ...	1	15								
									Revenue Gumastas at Rs. 15 ...	3	45								
									Magisterial Gumasta ...	1	15								
									Record-keeper ...	1	15								
									Shroff ...	1	15								
									Gollars at Rs 5 ...	2	10								
									Sweeper ...	1	4								
									Mashalchis at Rs. 5 ...	2	10								
									Total for 1 Talúk.	16	221								
									Total for 8 Talúks.....	128	1,768								
									Add increase of pay to Sheristadars of 2 of the more important Talúks at 10 Rs. each	0	20								
Total of present scale for Bangalore District	0	2,100							Total for Bangalore District ..	0	2,092								

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Kolar District.									**Kolar District.**										
Kolar Taluk.									*Kolar Taluk.*										
Sheristadar			1	40					Sheristader			1	40						
Munshi			1	20					Munshi			1	20						
Deputy Munshi			1	15					Assistant Munshi			1	12						
Nagadi Gumasta			1	15					Head Gumasta			1	20						
Rev. Gumastas at Rs. 15			4	60					Nagadi Gumasta			1	15						
Judical Gumastas at Rs. 15... ...			2	30					Revenue Gumastas at Rs. 15... ..			3	45						
Record-keeper			1	20					Magisterial Gumasta at Rs. 15 ...			1	15						
Gollars at Rs. 5			2	10					Record-keeper			1	15						
Shroff			1	10					Shroff			1	15						
Raktvan			1	6					Gollars at Rs. 5...			2	10						
Sweeper			1	4					Sweeper			1	4						
Mashalchis at Rs. 5			2	10					Mashalchis at Rs. 5			2	10						
Sayer Wat-Mutsaddi			1	10															
Total for 1 Taluk.....			19	250					Total for 1 Taluk.....			16	221						
Add Establishment of other taluks, 9 in number.			9	1,950					The same as above for other taluks, 9 in number			144	1,989						
									Add increase to pay of Sheristadars of 2 of the more important Taluks ...				20						
Total for Kolar District.....			0	2,200					Total for Kolar District.....			160	2,250					+	30 Increase.
Tumkur District.									**Tumkur District.**										
Tumkúr Taluk.									*Tumkúr Taluk.*										
Sheristadar					1	35			Sheristadar					1	40				
Munshi					1	20			Munshi					1	20				
Deputy Munshi...					1	15			Assistant Munshi					1	12				
Nagadi Gumasta					1	15			Head Gumasta					1	20				
Revenue Gumastas at Rs. 15 ...					4	60			Nagadi Gumasta					1	15				
Judical Gumastas at Rs. 15					2	30			Revenue Gumastas at Rs. 15 ..					3	45				
Record-keeper					1	20			Magisterial Gumasta at Rs. 15 ...					1	15				
Shroff					1	10			Record-keeper					1	15				
Gollars at Rs. 5 each					2	10			Shroff					1	15				

Present Scale. Designation.	Bangalore District No.	Bangalore District Pay.	Kolar District. No.	Kolar District. Pay.	Túmkúr District. No.	Túmkúr District. Pay.	Total. No.	Total. Pay.
Raktvan					1	6		
Sweeper					1	4		
Mashalchis at Rs. 5					2	10		
Sayer Wat-Mutsaddi					1	10		
Total for 1 Taluk.....					19	245		
Add Establishment of other Taluks, 7 in number.					0	1,510		
Total of present scale for Túmkúr District.					0	1,755		
Peshkars.								
Peshkars at 70	1	75	0	0	0	0		
Do at 50	1	50	1	50	1	50		
Do at 40	2	80	4	160	3	120		
Total.....	4	205	5	210	4	170	13	585
Total of Taluk Establishments	0	2,305	0	2,410	0	1,925	0	6,640
Grand Total	0	6,102	0	5,292	0	4,530	0	15,921

Future Scale. Designation.	Bangaloze District. No.	Bangaloze District. Pay.	Kolar District. No.	Kolar District. Pay.	Túmkúr District. No.	Túmkúr District. Pay.	Total. No.	Total. Pay.	Savings. No.	Savings. Pay.
Gollars at Rs. 5 each					2	10				
Sweeper					1	4				
Mashalchis at Rs. 5 each					2	10				
Total for 1 Taluk.....					16	221				
The same as above for the other Taluks, 7 in number.					112	1,547				
Add increase to pay of Sheristadars of 2 of the more important Taluks.					0	20				
Total for Túmkúr District					128	1,788				
Peshkars.									+	33 Increase.
Peshkar or Deputy Amildar of Bangalore	1	70	0	0	0					
Total.....	1	70	0	0	0	...	1	70	12	515
Total of Taluk Establishments.. ...	0	2,162	0	2,230	0	1,788	0	6,180	0	460
Grand Total.....	0	5,078	0	4,545	0	3,963	0	13,586	0	2,338

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, 27th May 1879.

READ—

Letter from the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, No. 96—6 of the 8th May 1879, soliciting instructions as to the position of Civil Officers in regard to District Fund and other works.

No. 1817—31, DATED BANGALORE, 23RD MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The Chief Commissioner observes that pending the detailed instructions to be issued in the Public Works Department, the position of the District Officers and the course of procedure to be adopted by them in respect of Public Works and especially District Fund works in their Districts, are sufficiently indicated in his Minute of the 13th August 1878, para 9, and in the orders of the Government of India thereon, dated the 5th December 1878, copies of which are forwarded. It will be seen that whilst the execution of these works is placed under the control of the Public Works Department, the Deputy Commissioner, as the Head of the District and the President of the District Fund Committee, is not divested of his control over them. He will have to decide what works are to be undertaken from District Funds, and all projects and estimates for works and progress reports relating to them will come before him. He can initiate works and call on the District Engineer to examine and frame estimates for them. In short, whilst divested of all concern in the execution of works, he is expected, as the local representative of the Government in the District, to interest himself in, and exercise general supervision over the Public Works in his District.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.
„ Commissioners of Nundydroog and Nagar Divisions.
„ Secretary, Public Works Department.
} with a copy of the Chief Commissioner's Minute, dated 13th August 1878, and Proceedings No. 1168-17, dated 8th May 1879.

READ—

Letter from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, R. A. C., No. 145 C., dated 7th May 1879.

No. 1924—10, DATED BANGALORE, 27TH MAY 1879.

ORDER.—In accordance with the instructions conveyed in the above letter, the Chief Commissioner directs that in future price-currents submitted to this office, the fractional parts of seers may be entered in equivalent chittaks instead of in decimals as at present. It will be noted that 16 chittaks are equal to 1 seer.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Dy. Commissioners of Districts.
„ Superintendent of Coorg.

PART I.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

A.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

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Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, Financial Department, 12th May 1879.

From the Judicial Commissioner of Mysore, To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, No. 389—36, dated Bangalore, 26th April 1879.

With reference to the Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner No. 315—15 of the 15th instant, approving of the Establishment proposed for my Office in consequence of the revision, I have the honor to state that the incumbents in the superior service of the existing Establishment have been retained except nine who have been told that they will have to retire on compensation pensions and gratuities to which they are entitled under the rules in force.

Pensions.	*Gratuities.*
V. Sanjiva Naidu.	Venkatramanaiengar.
Subba Rao.	Adimanappa.
Chakrapani Rao.	
Rama Rao	
Venkatappaiya.	
Lakshminarappa.	
Subbaya.	

2. In the case of one of them, Lakshminarnappa, however, I have the honor to request that the sanction of the Chief Commissioner may be obtained to his being retained as a supernumerary for 5 months from the 16th May 1879, the date on which the revision will take effect in this Office, to enable him to complete 15 years' service, when he will be eligible for ⅓ pension.

3. In the Translator's Department there are two incumbents who are already on the receipt of Rs. 75 each. In filling up the places to which Rs. 80 and 70 are fixed in the revised scale, one of the Translators will be a loser by Rs. 5. I therefore request that you will be so good as to obtain the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the grant of a personal allowance of Rs. 5 to Ramanujaiengar, the incumbent on Rs. 70, till such time as he gets promotion.

4. The names of the persons whose services have been dispensed with have been sent to the Commissioner of Nundydroog, who may perhaps be able to provide for some of them.

No. 1338—53, DATED 12TH MAY 1879.

ORDER.—The proposed retention of Lakshminarnappa for five months and the personal allowance of Rs. 5 per mensem to Translator Ramanujaiengar are sanctioned.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner of Mysore.
„ Deputy Accountant General.
„ Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.

No. 1875—2, DATED BANGALORE, 26TH MAY 1879.

ORDER.—The Chief Commissioner has had under consideration for some time past, proposals for the reorganization of the Anche Department. While the circumstances of the day require economy and demand a reduction of expenditure wherever such can be brought about without loss of efficiency, the constitution of the department itself and the growth of the work it has to perform make it now possible to reorganize in a manner which will improve its efficiency while reducing its cost.

2. There is at present in the Bangalore Pettah a very large Head-Quarters receiving and despatching office, in addition to the Central Office of control under the Anche Bakshi, situated in the Chief Commissioner's Office. A considerable saving would be effected by putting both these establishments immediately under the Anche Bakshi in one office; the only circumstance which delays the immediate carrying out of this change is the difficulty of selecting at once a suitable building.

3. The Pettah Office is in so dilapidated a condition that it would be not more expensive to build a new office than to repair the old one. The opportunity thus afforded by the necessity of selecting a new site for the Bangalore General Anche Office should, Mr. Gordon considers, be taken to locate it in or near the Public Offices.

4. The Chief Commissioner therefore directs that the following officers form a Committee to consider and report on the most suitable arrangement to be effected; whether the Head Office should be and can be placed in the Chief Commissioner's Office

or the Division Cutcherry, or whether it would be necessary to build an office for it or add to either of the present buildings. The Committee will be composed of—

The Superintending Engineer in Mysore, President.
The Deputy Accountant General.
The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore.
The District Judge, Nundydroog, and
The Anche Bakshi.

5. The Committee will take into consideration the amount likely to be realized by the sale of the present Pettah Office, and the cost of providing a receiving-house with sufficient staff in the same locality as the present Pettah Office.

6. In reporting on the provision necessary for accommodating the two offices in one, it is of course essential to know the staff for which accommodation is necessary. The reductions which can be made at once in the department are noted below, and are hereby ordered to be carried out from the 1st June; but in addition to this the amalgamation of the two offices will render the post of Peshkar, in addition to that of Sheristadar, unnecessary, and that appointment can then be abolished.

7. Mr. Gordon desires that this opportunity be taken for the Committee to consider and report upon the introduction of a postage label for the Mysore Anche, and the further reductions in establishment which that change would admit of. The present system of receiving cash with paid letters, and of registering every letter as received, is needlessly cumbersome and expensive. The Committee will therefore report whether the introduction of the label system is feasible and advisable, and if so whether they recommend a special label for Mysore or advise application to Government for a supply of postage stamps at prime cost to be impressed with the word 'Mysore' or 'Anche' in a manner similar to that now done with Court Fees Stamps.

8. The following are the appointments in the Anche Department which are abolished from the 1st June 1879:—

	Rs	
Anche Bakshi's Office.		
1 Head Munshi at Rs.	55	
2 Peons at Rs. 5½..	11	
	—	66
Bangalore Kasba Office.		
1 Head Munshi at Rs.	40	
1 Deputy Do	30	
	—	70
Division and District Offices.		
8 District Mutsaddis at Rs. 25	200	
16 District Peons at Rs. 6½	104	
Sadilwar at Rs. 5	40	
3 Division Mutsaddis at Rs. 30	90	
6 Do Peons at Rs. 6½	39	
Sadilwar at Rs. 5	15	
	—	488
Total Rs.		624

9. The Peshkar at present employed in the Bakshi's Office will be transferred to the Kasba Office in place of the two Munshis whose posts are abolished.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Superintending Engineer in Mysore.
„ Deputy Accountant General.
„ Dy. Commissioner, Bangalore.
„ District and Sessions Judge, Nundydroog.
„ Anche Bakshi, with statements shewing provision made for incumbents of abolished posts and retirements ordered in consequence of the reduction of establishment.
„ Commissioners of Divisions.
„ Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, Financial Department, 27th May 1879.

READ AGAIN—

Para 3, Chief Commissioner's Order No. 885—2, dated 30th April 1879, referring to the proposed reduction of Barr guards at Yelwal and Mysore Residencies, the Chamrajnagar temple and Sivasamudram island.

READ—

Letter No. 4—3, dated 3rd April, from the Commissioner, Ashtagram, on the subject of the Residency guards.

Letter No. 4, dated 26th April, from the Controller, reporting on the Chamrajnagar guards.

No. 1919—10, DATED 27TH MAY 1879.

ORDER.—In addition to the Commission Barr guards at Mysore and Yelwal Residencies, there are a Maity, Mashalchi and Sweeper provided for the former and a Maity for the latter, costing altogether Rs. 26 a month. The Chief Commissioner does not consider any establishment, in addition to what can be afforded from the Commissioner's own peons, necessary for the care of the Mysore Residency building, or its furniture ; and he is of opinion that the cost of the establishment above mentioned should be transferred to the Yelwal Residency, and that a good Maity on Rs. 12 and 2 good peons on Rs. 7 each be entertained therefrom, the Barr guards being withdrawn from the Residencies at once. This is accordingly sanctioned.

2. The special circumstances which formerly made it advisable to place a Barr guard over the Chamrajnagar temple no longer exist, and that guard may also be withdrawn as soon as the Deputy Commissioner has made arrangements for the removal of the jewels to the Taluk Cutcherry.

3. One half of the guard of 16 men, shewn in the statement appended to the Military Assistant's Circuit No. 2, dated 7th March, is placed in guard over the Palace gate, and it is only in view of these being retained that the Controller recommends the reduction of the temple guard. The Chief Commissioner considers that if such Palace guard be necessary, an addition of four sepoys to the Taluk guard will suffice for its provision ; but he will defer orders regarding it until receipt of a report and opinion from the Ashtagram Commissioner upon this matter.

4. In the Chief Commissioner's Office no records have been obtained shewing the considerations which led in the first instance to the institution of a Mysore Barr guard at Sivasamudram. The Superintendent in his No. 747, dated 24th December 1862, speaks of the guard as if it were for the bridges, not the Jahagirdar's Treasury, but no previous mention of this has been found. The Commissioner of Ashtagram is therefore requested to report if the records of his office shew the grounds on which the guard was first placed at Sivasamudram, and to favor the Chief Commissioner with his opinion as to the necessity of keeping the guard, which is understood to be stationed at Belkwadi during nearly half the year, any longer either for the protection of the bridges, safety of the Jahagirdar's Treasury, or honorary guard to his person.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Commissioner, Ashtagram.
" Deputy Commissioner, Mysore.
" Military Assistant.
" Deputy Accountant General.

PART I.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

A.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

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No. 999—GENL. 15, DATED 1ST MAY 1879.

CIRCULAR ORDER.—The Chief Commissioner has had under his consideration, in connection with the revision of the Mysore Commission which is now being effected, the existing rules with regard to sub-divisions of Districts and the duties of Assistant Commissioners generally; and with the view of providing for the better distribution of Revenue work and the more efficient performance of District work generally, Mr. Gordon is pleased to order in supersession of the rules in force that—

(1). The District Head-Quarters shall be the Head-Quarters of every Assistant Commissioner employed in the District.

(2). The Deputy Commissioner of a District may apportion the Revenue work of the District between himself and his Assistants by taluks, retaining the original current work of such taluks of his District as may seem to him convenient and ordering his General Assistants to take up the work of such taluk or taluks as he may apportion to them.

(3). An Assistant Commissioner shall, subject to the orders and control of the Deputy Commissioner, exercise the powers of a Deputy Commissioner in Revenue matters.

(4). The Deputy Commissioner will be held responsible for the condition of his District and the orders given therein whether by himself or by his Assistant, and it is to be understood that while the Deputy Commissioner must supervise and control the exercise by his Assistant of authority delegated to him, he is at liberty, on the other hand, to delegate as much or as little of his authority to his Assistant as he may consider expedient.

2. These orders do not affect divisions of Districts made for Magisterial purposes, nor do they interfere with any investiture of powers of a Magistrate of a division of a District under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

3. In connection with this subject, Mr. Gordon has had under consideration the present powers and status of Amildars. There is, Mr. Gordon believes, an unnecessary amount of vernacular work of a trivial character thrown upon the District Officer by reason of the limited powers given to Amildars in Revenue and General matters. This results in the time of the Deputy Commissioner being so taken up with trifling questions of detail, that he has no time for matters of far graver import. The Commissioner of Ashtagram and Officiating Commissioners of Nundydroog and Nagar are therefore directed to report in what particulars they consider the power of Amildars may beneficially be extended and reference to District Officers rendered unnecessary. These reports should reach the Secretary by the end of May.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary.

To—The Commissioners of Divisions.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts. } For information and guidance
" Deputy Accountant General. }
" Judicial Commissioner.
" Survey and Settlement Commissioner.
" Superintendent of Revenue Survey. } For information.
" Superintendent of Inam Settlements.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, 3rd May 1879.

District Funds.

From the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, P. W. D., To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Dufter Department, No. 42—158, dated Bangalore, 4th April 1879.

With reference to Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 3811-14—812, dated 14th ultimo, passing orders on the Irrigation Cess Fund Budget of Bangalore District for the year 1879-80, I have the honor to inform you that under an arrangement already sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner, the Irrigation cess is in future to be applied to the purpose of agricultural repairs throughout the Province on projects to be drawn up and passed in the Public Works Department, and with his sanction, a sum of Rs. 1,50,000 was accordingly entered in the Imperial Public Works Budget for 1879-80, as a contribution from that source. I have therefore to request that the Chief Commissioner's orders may be obtained to place a *lump sum* grant for that amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department, for the current official year.

II. The Chief Commissioner has also sanctioned the cost of the Channel Conservancy Establishment (for the present and until the lands below the channels are assessed) being met from general revenue, as explained in paras 16 and 17 of letter No. 151—247 of 18th February 1879 to Government of India (copy enclosed,) and in accordance with this arrangement, Rs. 22,462 was entered as contribution towards the Public Works Budget of 1879—80. I have to request that this amount may now be placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

From the Deputy Accountant General in Mysore, To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, General Department, No. 428, dated Bangalore, 28th April 1879.

With reference to the Public Works Secretary's letter (returned herewith) No. 42—153 of the 4th instant, I have the honor to report that the receipts credited to the District Irrigation Fund in the year 1878—79 amounted to Rs. 77,782, against which allotments for sanctioned works amounted to Rs 35,968, leaving a balance on the year's income of Rs. 41,814 This sum added to the balance brought over from the previous year, *viz.*, Rs. 2,51,517, makes up an available balance of Rs. 2,93,331 on 31st March 1879. The annexed statement exhibits the portion belonging to each District, and it will remain for your office to allot from these balances the sums required to make up the total grant of Rs. 1,50,000 to be allotted to the Public Works Department for 1878—79.

2. The net balance available under Local Fund General on 31st March 1879 was Rs. 76,609 as per enclosed statement, from which Rs. 50,000 have similarly to be made available.

3. The receipts under "District Funds" in the year 1878—79 amounted to Rs. 4,52,040. This was an exceptionally large sum, in consequence of the collection of arrears postponed from the preceding year, but I have little doubt that the gross receipts estimated for the current year at Rs. 2,75,000 will be duly realized.

4. Under repairs of civil buildings the Civil Budget for 1879—80 provides the following *grants exclusive of Rs. 35,000 for the Palace; the total is Rs. 49,529.

* See enclosure.

5. For channel conservancy I beg that steps may be taken to obtain a supplemental grant to the Civil Budget of Rs. 22,500, in order to meet the charges on this account when transferred from the Public Works Department.

Statement shewing the Receipts, Disbursements and Balances of the following Funds.

	Bangalore.	Kolar.	Túmkúr.	Shimoga.	Kadur.	Chitaldroog.	Mysore.	Hassan.	Total.
District Irrigation Fund.									
Balance on 1st April 1878 ...	2,132 4 3	...	45,873 8 0	1,20,883 5 11	...	82,628 4 4	...	...	2,51,517 6 6
Credits in 1878—79 ...	2,883 8 4	...	12,123 0 1	32,963 13 1	3,731 3 6	23,065 15 7	...	3,014 11 5	77,782 4 0
	5,015 12 7	...	57,996 8 1	1,53,847 3 0	3,731 3 6	1,05,694 3 11	...	3,014 11 5	3,29,299 10 6
Debits in do ...	1,266 0 0	...	...	21,123 0 0	...	13,579 0 0	...	...	35,968 0 0
Balance on 31st March 1879 ...	3,749 12 7	...	57,996 8 1	1,32,724 3 0	3,731 3 6	92,115 3 11	...	3,014 11 5	2,93,331 10 6
Local Fund General.									
Balance on 1st April 1878 ...	Against. 2,900 15 3	7,133 2 9	14,531 4 11½	12,599 9 1	Against. 44,614 4 5	31,058 3 10	31,690 4 2	9,139 12 8	58,837 1 9½
Credits in 1878—79 ...	15,596 11 10	1,761 15 10	4,156 3 0	2,386 7 9	2,544 7 9	2,524 6 8	10,191 9 10	918 15 10	40,080 14 6
	12,695 12 7	8,895 2 7	18,687 7 11½	14,986 0 10	42,069 12 8	33,582 10 6	42,081 14 0	10,058 12 6	98,918 0 3½
Debits in do ...	9,232 4 4	10,637 8 0	1,206 8 0	206 8 0	206 8 0	206 8 0	406 8 0	206 8 0	22,308 12 4
Balance on 31st March 1879 ...	3,463 8 3	Against. 1,742 5 5	17,480 15 11½	14,779 8 10	Against. 42,276 4 8	33,376 2 6	41,675 6 0	9,852 4 6	76,609 3 11½

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Statement shewing the Grants provided in the Civil Budget of 1879—80 for the Construction and Repairs of Buildings.

Particulars	Amount.
Land Revenue (under Deputy Commissioners of Districts for repairs of Civil Buildings) ...	12,000
Abkari	...
Post Office (for huts under the Anche Bakshi)	5,150
Administration (Residency Mysore)	500
Minor Departments (Museum 100, Lal-Bagh 300)...	400
Law and Justice (Central Jail 1,000, Shimoga 500, Reserve 1,000)	2,500
Police (Cantonment 2,200, for Lines 500, for repairs of Stations, Rural Police, 5,000) ...	7,700
Education—Repairs of School Buildings	5,000
Muzrayi	...
Medical (for repairs of Hospitals and Dispensaries)... ... ... --	1,779
Travellers' Bungalows, 1st and 2nd classes	3,000
Reserve grant	3,000
Military (for repairs of buildings exclusive of Barr and Siledar Repair Funds ...	6 500
Up-keep and improvement of grounds of Chief Commissioner's Office	2,000
Total.....	49,529

In 1878—79 the total was Rs. 1,01,268.

No. 392-405—D. F. 49, DATED BANGALORE, 3rd MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The sum of Rs. 1,50,000 applied for from the Irrigation Cess Fund is placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, for expenditure according to the detailed budgets to be passed in that Department.

2. The grant from Local Funds General, *viz.*, Rs. 50,000, has already been allotted to the several Districts, as detailed in the District Fund Budgets for the current year.

3. A supplemental grant of Rs. 22,462 to the Civil Budget of 1879—80 is authorized, in anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India, to meet the charges of the Channel Conservancy Establishment in the Public Works Department. In future arrangements will be made for setting apart the water cess levied on the lands irrigated by the channels to meet the above charges.

T. R. A. THUMBOO CHETTY,
Assistant Secretary.

To—The Secretary, D. P. W.
„ Deputy Accountant General.
„ Commissioners of Divisions.
„ Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
„ Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, 5th May 1879.

From the Secretary to the Government of India, Legislative Department, To the Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, No. 469, dated Simla, the 18th April 1879.

I am directed to invite your attention to the second paragraph of Rule 14* of the Rules for the conduct of legislative business, a copy of which is forwarded herewith, and to request that you will cause the direction contained in that paragraph to be made known as widely as possible.

* "14. Communications on matters connected with any Bill before the Council may be addressed either in the form of a petition to the Governor General in Council, or in a letter to the Secretary, and must in either case be sent to the Secretary. Ordinarily such communications will not be answered.

"Except in the case of the High Court at Fort William, such communications from Courts, officials or public bodies shall ordinarily be sent through the Local Government."

No. 1085—Genl. 171, dated Bangalore, 5th May 1879.

Ordered, that the foregoing letter be forwarded to theCompiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication.

T. R. A. THUMBOO CHETTY,
For Offg. Secretary.

To—The Compiler, Mysore Gazette.

From the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, (Political), To the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, No. 126 C. P., dated Camp Lahore, 5th December 1878.

I am directed to acknowledge your Secretary's letter of the 29th August 1878, No. 4249—62 G., forwarding a Minute on the proposals made by Major Moncrieff, Officiating Chief Engineer, Mysore—

(1). For the amalgamation of District Fund Works with the Public Works Department; and
(2). For providing for the restoration and conservation of the irrigation tanks throughout the Province.

2 In regard to the first subject, I am to say that His Excellency the Governor General in Council quite agrees that in Mysore there need be no distinction maintained between Provincial and District works, and that all needful professional and financial supervision may be exercised over the designing, execution and maintenance of all classes of works, by one engineering establishment, the fact that the funds which provide them appear under different heads of revenue being immaterial.

3. At the same time, it is not desirable that the authority of the Deputy Commissioner over the works in his district should be unduly diminished by this measure. His Excellency in Council gathers from various passages in your Minute that the general effect of the system which you would introduce would be to modify, and to some extent even to withdraw from the District and Divisional Officers the authority which they now possess over works of the kind usually treated as local. The point is of importance, and there may be advantage in considering precisely how it will be settled by the rules which you propose to lay down.

4. The 9th paragraph of the Minute describes the position and powers which you propose to assign to the local authorities. The Deputy Commissioner, in conjunction with the District Committee, will be regarded as responsible for giving due attention to the requirements of local interests, and will accordingly be expected to exercise a supervision over all works in the district; they will decide or recommend, in consultation with the Public Works Officer, what works should be undertaken from District Funds, and from the grant from Provincial Funds, made to the district; they will have a voice in all those larger projects or estimates for works undertaken in the district, which have to be submitted to Government for approval; and they would be authorized to sanction within the allotted budget grants works up to Rs. 500, and to call on the District Engineer to report on works, frame estimates, and carry out repairs.

5. To the District Engineer would be assigned the whole responsibility of controlling the execution of works, and the expenditure upon them. He would, within the limits for the exercise of final powers of sanction assigned to the Deputy Commissioner and District Committees, act as the professional officer of those authorities. He would not be relieved from the duty of originating or suggesting projects for works of public utility, though at the same time he would attend to all requisitions or proposals put forward by the District authorities. The charge and control of all the public works in a district would vest in the District Engineer, as an independent officer of the Public Works Department, acting under the Chief Engineer, and the Amildars with their establishment of Taluk Mestris would be placed in charge of the public works in their taluks under the direct orders and control of the District Engineer. For the future all public works of every description, by whomsoever undertaken, should be accounted for to the District Engineer, who would be the officer through whom financial control on public works expenditure would be exercised; while he should furnish the Deputy Commissioner and the District Committee with copies of reports submitted to higher authority, and with such information as may be necessary to keep them fully informed of the progress of public works in the district and the expenditure on them.

6. His Excellency in Council considers that you are right in laying down the rule that, except in some special cases, the execution of all sanctioned works should rest entirely on the res-

ponsibility of the District Engineer, who in professional and technical questions would be subordinate only to the Head of his Department. But it is of equal importance to provide that the proper administrative authority of the Deputy Commissioner over local works within his district should not be in any way diminished, and that all new schemes or projects and all questions regarding the works to be entered in the sanctioned district budget should remain as heretofore for the decision of the District and Divisional Officers acting with their Committees.

7. The sense of what is due to local interests and local responsibility, combined with an intimate knowledge of the people and their requirements, which the District Officer has special facilities for acquiring, are the best safeguards in India as elsewhere for the application of Local Funds to the works which are really most needed, and for the prevention of extravagance in design or waste in execution. From the nature of the case local considerations cannot apply with equal force to the larger works which require professional skill and experience, and which would go up, as at present, to the Local Government for consideration and sanction; but for minor works they should never be disregarded. There can be no room to doubt that in certain classes of works, such as communications, whether constructed from District or Provincial Funds, the local knowledge of the District and Divisional Officers is of no less importance than the professional knowledge of the Engineer.

8. His Excellency the Governor General in Council apprehends that these remarks are not likely to contain anything from which you yourself would dissent It will be, however, expedient to prevent misconstruction, that the control of the Deputy Commissioner and Commissioner over Local Funds, the power to decide how the money is to be spent, and to superintend its application, should be distinctly recognized in the final orders issued on the subject. It is essential that any system now introduced shall be of the kind best suited, so far as can be foreseen, for administration under the Government of His Highness the Maha Raja; and with this view the principles of local authority and responsibility should be carefully preserved and transmitted. With these remarks I am to convey to you the general approval of the Government of India of your proposals, and to request that a draft of the orders you would issue to give effect to them may be forwarded for sanction before final issue.

9. With regard to the arrangements for restoring and keeping up the tanks, I am to say that His Excellency the Governor General in Council accepts your conclusion that the serial system of tank restoration must be abandoned as impracticable, and the measures you have proposed for dealing with the subject are generally approved.

10. The line of division between Government and village tanks need not be drawn at any fixed yield of revenue, but the tanks may be classified according to circumstances in the manner you suggest. It will probably be found necessary to take temporarily, under skilled direction, any of the village tanks requiring repairs other than simple earthwork, though the village may give the labor, as it is doubtful whether the Patels will be able to do much without assistance.

11. At the same time it seems doubtful whether an irrigation tax of 6¼ per cent will be a sufficient contribution towards the expense of maintenance of the Government tanks from the ryots cultivating lands irrigated by those tanks, as they are to be entirely exempt from the necessity of supplying free labor; but the point is merely noted for your consideration. In respect to village tanks, the Government of India observe that the scheme described in the Minute provides for the maintenance of a great number of tanks throughout the Province by a comprehensive system of statutory labor. From paragraphs 7 and 18 of the Minute it might be inferred that the Amildars and Taluk Mestris, who will requisition the labor and supervise the works, will be placed exclusively under the orders of the District Engineer. But I am to say that under a statutory labor system it is essential to maintain undiminished the joint responsibility with the Engineer of the Deputy Commissioner for the proper use of these powers.

12. I am also to observe, with reference to the calculation contained in paragraph 14 of the Minute, that 1,700 tanks only yield a revenue of Rs. 27,000—that the real value of a tank to agriculture must often far exceed the amount of rates actually collected. The Government of India also consider that the system of clearly demarcating the extent of the responsiblity of each ryot for the maintenance of tank bunds and other works by "mark" stones may be worth a trial, and that the Code might retain provisions for enforcing it, though it need not be imperatively laid down.

No. 1168—Genl. 17, dated Bangalore, 8th May 1879.

Ordered, that a copy of the letter read above be communicated to the Deputy Commissioners with an intimation that detailed instructions on the subject will be issued in the Public Works Department.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Offg. Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
„ Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, P. W. D.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, 19th May 1879.

From the Judicial Commissioner of Mysore, To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, No. 458—47, dated Bangalore, 5th May 1879.

I have the honor to forward for the orders of the Chief Commissioner letter in original, No. 48 of the 28th ultimo, from the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division, requesting instructions in regard to the granting of leave, &c., to the Public Prosecutor of his Division, and to state that I have already expressed my * opinion that the Public Prosecutor should receive instructions from, and be in subordination to, the Executive Officers of Government.

*Letter No. 3173—280, dated 9th December 1878.

2. Such matters as these now reported by the Commissioner should in my opinion be dealt with in the Executive and not the Judicial Department.

From the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, To the Judicial Commissioner of Mysore, No. 48, dated Mysore, 28th April 1879.

Referring to the orders of the Chief Commissioner No. 9717—Judl. 182, dated 4th February last, issuing rules for defining the duties and position of Public Prosecutor, I have the honor to enquire to whom the Public Prosecutor should apply for leave and who should make arrangements for the conduct of his duties during his absence on leave or otherwise.

2. Mr. Narayin Shastri, Public Prosecutor, Ashtagram Division, lately applied to me for one month's privilege leave, when I stated that I had no objection, but that I was uncertain regarding my powers in this respect. It appears that Mr. Narayin Shastri represented to the Deputy Commissioner that I had granted him leave and has left after moving the Deputy Commissioner to recommend that an Advocate named Ananda Rao should act for him.

3. I also take this opportunity of enquiring whether under para 2 of the order in question, the Public Prosecutor is entitled to a fee of Rs. 32 when called upon to support conviction of Magistrates on appeals in the Sessions Court. The para in question states that for the extra duties devolving on the Public Prosecutor in addition to what has hitherto been required of him, he shall be remunerated by fees, and as previous to the issue of the recent rules, the Public Prosecutor was required to support convictions on appeals before the Sessions Court, it cannot, in my opinion, be held that in such cases he has now extra duties to perform for which he is entitled to a minimum fee of Rs. 32. I make this reference as the Public Prosecutor has submitted bills to the District Magistrate, Mysore, for having in accordance with his instructions appeared in a criminal appeal before the Sessions Court to support a conviction on behalf of Government.

Requesting the favor of your early instructions.

No. 1705—266, DATED 19TH MAY 1879.

ORDER.—The Chief Commissioner agrees that questions of leave should not be referred to or through the Judicial Commissioner. The present application was disposed of as the Commissioner, Ashtagram, has been informed by this Office No. 934-10, dated 30th April, the Public Prosecutor having assured the Chief Commissioner that the Commissioner had no objection either to his absence or to the arrangement proposed for doing his work.

2. In future when the Public Prosecutor has arranged to the satisfaction of the District and Sessions Judge for the conduct of his business, during his absence, application may be made direct to the Secretary, General Department.

3. It was quite unnecessary to refer for orders the question whether the Public Prosecutor should be paid extra in fees for what always formed part of his regular work; his bills might have been returned to him at once.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner.
" Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.
" Commissioners, Nundydroog and Nagar Divisions.
All District Magistrates.
The Public Prosecutors, Nundydroog and Ashtagram.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, 27th May 1879.

READ—

Letter No. 342—33, dated 25th April 1879, from the Judicial Commissioner, forwarding for orders copy of a letter and of its enclosures from the Commissioner, Ashtagram, suggesting that Mr. Lincoln, Civil Surgeon, Hassan, may be placed in administrative charge of the Hassan Jail.

No. 1727—G. 12, DATED 20TH MAY 1879.

ORDER.—The Chief Commissioner approves of the suggestion to place Mr. Lincoln, Civil Surgeon at Hassan, in charge of the Jail there.

2. The number of prisoners confined in the Hassan Jail is on an average very small, the work in connection with the jail is not heavy, and the Chief Commissioner in sanctioning a monthly allowance of Rs. 25 to Mr. Lincoln, considers that the amount is sufficient and appropriate.

3. Mr. Lincoln should be put in charge from the 1st June.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner and Inspector General of Jails.
„ Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.
„ Deputy Commissioner, Hassan.
„ Deputy Accountant General.
„ Deputy Surgeon General, I. M. D. Mysore Dn. and C. D.

READ—

Letter No. 61—6, dated 1st May 1879, from the Anche Bakshi.

No. 1945—321, DATED 27TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—With the above the Anche Bakshi submits his report for the year 1878-79. The return of prices during the year to nearly their formal level has enabled the expenditure which aggregated Rs. 1,64,567 to be kept well within budget limits, and exhibit a decrease upon that of the previous year amounting to Rs. 13,026. The receipts upon paid covers have decreased however, at the same time, from Rs. 55,403 to Rs. 50,198, the actual cost of the postal service to the State being therefore Rs. 1,14,369, nearly nine thousand rupees less than in the previous year, notwithstanding the smaller receipts.

2. This result is not arrived at by the growth of correspondence, for as stated already the receipts on that account have fallen off and the number of paid covers too has decreased from 1,241,117 to 1,142,465, shewing that the contraction of private correspondence which had already manifested itself in the previous year has been continued Official postage has decreased in the number of covers with the reduction in the official staff consequent on the abolition of the separate Famine Department, and in a greater ratio in the value of postage chargeable by reason of the introduction of new rates. But this is a merely nominal reduction, nothing is actually charged for carrying official postage and the real value of it to the State is not to be measured by what would be charged if the rates were enforced, but what would have to be paid if the State did not do the work itself, a measure which cannot be ascertained.

3. In the internal economy of the Department, the changes are few and unimportant. The length of line served is the same in the aggregate though varying to a trifling degree in detail, the number of offices is less by one, the carriage of letters is still done entirely by runners.

4. The number of mis-sent letters has, it is observed, nearly trebled, and on this point the Chief Commissioner would have been glad to have learnt more in explanation of what is being done to remedy such an unsatisfactory state of affairs than is given in the report which merely states that "measures have been adopted from time to time to prevent the above." A special full report of the causes which have led to this falling off and of the steps which have been taken to remedy the defects should be at once submitted.

5. There is nothing more in this report worthy of notice. Offences by Anche employés and committed upon the mails by others have been few and have almost in every case been detected and punished.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Anche Bakshi.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, General Department, 27th May 1879.

From the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, To the Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, Home Department, Public, No. 28—927, dated Simla, the 9th May 1879.

I am directed to forward for your information the accompanying Circular issued by the Government of the Punjab, directing that every Deputy Commissioner, who shall have been in charge of a district for more than a year, shall, on leaving it, record, for the information of his successor, a memorandum of all important points connected with the administration of the district.

2. The Punjab Government order is circulated in case you may see fit to issue similar instructions to officers in charge of districts in Mysore and Coorg.

From the Offg. Secretary to the Government of the Punjab, To all Commissioners and Superintendents in the Punjab, No 25—3793, dated Lahore, 9th November 1878.

A large amount of valuable information is lost to the Government for administrative purposes from the fact that Deputy Commissioners, leaving their districts on furlough, transfer, or retirement, make over charge to their successors without giving any memoranda on the various matters of importance with which they have been long officially connected. Consequently, the new-comer has to discover for himself the facts regarding every branch of the administration which might have been more conveniently collected and placed on record by the officer who had long been in charge of the district.

2. The burthen of the duties of the new district officer is thus largely and unnecessarily increased; it is long before his knowledge of the district becomes such as to enable him to control it efficiently, while all continuity in administration is apt to be lost.

3. The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor is accordingly pleased to direct that every Deputy Commissioner who shall leave a district, of which he has been in charge for more than a year, on transfer, furlough, or retirement, shall record, for the use of his successor, a carefully drawn and exhaustive memorandum noting all points of which it is important that his successor should be informed.

4. It may hereafter be possible to note in more detail the subjects to which attention should be specially directed in these memoranda; but I am here principally to note the working of the police; the manner in which the incidence of the land-revenue assessment affects the district; the portions which require particular care on the occurrence of drought or high prices; any special offence to which any portion of the ordinary population or criminal tribes of the district are addicted; and the working of Municipal and District Committees.

5. In addition to this, should be carefully recorded the names and character of the more important native gentlemen or headmen of the district; their activity or supineness in the suppression of crime, and any special services which they may be fitted to render to the Government in case these should be required of them. Existing rules provide for a record of the qualifications and services of the ministerial officers of a district, and this record must be duly kept up.

6. Commissioners are requested to ascertain, before a Deputy Commissioner leaves a district, whether the memorandum now prescribed has been prepared, and should satisfy themselves that it contains the information required in sufficient detail.

No. 1933—34, DATED 27TH MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—In communicating the above to the District Officers for their information and guidance, the Chief Commissioner observes that the object may be best attained if District Officers kept a memoir of all matters of importance as they occur: This memoir they can readily transfer to their successors, instead of preparing one at the time of their leaving their Districts, which is not likely to be always well done.

C. RANGACHARLU,
For Secretary.

To—The Commissioners of Divisions.
„ Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
„ Superintendent of Coorg.

PART II.

JUDICIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	In reply, the Government of India, Legislative Department, was informed of the opinion of the Chief Commissioner on the provisons of the Bill (No. III) to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, the Registration Act, 1877, and the Limitation Act 1877.	2nd May 1879.	
2	In reply, the Government of India, Foreign Department, was informed that the Judicial Commissioner has since recommended the immediate introduction into the Province of the whole of the Prisons Act XXVI of 1870, and sanction to the proposal was solicited.	3rd do	18th Dec. 1878 Part II, Judl.
3	The opinions of the Judicial Commissioner and certain other officers on the provisions of the Bill (No. III) to amend the law relating to transfer of property by act of parties, were communicated in reply to the Government of India, Legislative Department.	5th do	22nd March 1879, Part II, Judl.
4	Certain rules framed in consultation with the Judicial Commissioner for fixing the jurisdiction of the courts in Mysore, were submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, for sanction.	6th do	
5	The consideration of the Government of India, Legislative Department, was solicited to the fact that, though under the provisions of section 266 of the Civil Procedure Code, the ploughing cattle and farming implements of a ryot are exempt from attachment and sale in execution of a decree, no provision is made in respect to his seed grain.	9th do	2nd instant Part II, Judl.
6	Instructions were in reply communicated to the Judicial Commissioner with regard to the detention in the Bangalore reformatory of the juvenile prisioner named Basachari aged 12 years under sentence of transportation for life by the Sessions Judge of Ashtagram, upon whose conduct and character a report will be made when he is nearly of an age fitting him for transportation.	12th do	25th March 1879, Part II, Judl.
7	On the recommendation of the Judicial Commissioner, the remission of the unexpired portion of the sentences of certain prisoners in the Shimoga Jail, was sanctioned.	13th do	
8	Copy of a letter from the Commissioner, Nagar Division, together with copies of its enclosures containing opinons on the provisions of the Bill to define and amend the law relating to Trusts and Trustees, was submitted to the Government of India, Home Department, in continuation.	14th do	25th ultimo, Part II, Judl.
9	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Rule of Practice directing that immediate information of the payment of a fine by a prisoner be given to the officer in charge of the jail or lock-up in which such prisoner is confined, is approved.	Do do	
10	On the report of the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, accused Chabunniya, who is declared to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, was ordered to be detained in the Bangalore Lunatic Asylum until capable of making his defence or until further orders.	20th do	
11	Copy of letter from the Government of India, Home Department, dated 6th instant, together with copy of the papers relating to the "Destruction of Records Act, 1879," was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner, with a request that he will submit rules applicable to judicial records.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
12	In reply, the Government of India, Legislative Department, was informed that the opinion called for on the provisions of the Bill to amend the law relating to the transfer of property by act of parties, was submitted on the 5th instant.	20th May 1879.	5th instant, Part II, Judicial.
13	A notification appointing Messrs. Nepean Smith, S. R. Narayan Shastri and E. S. Subrayer, Public Prosecutors in the Divisions of Nundydroog, Ashtagram and Nagar respectively, was gazetted and copy forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
14	The bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Criminal Procedure, with copy of statement of objects and reasons, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner and to the District and Sessions Judge, Nundydroog Division, for opinion.	29th do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

DEPT. OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	In reply, the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed that a grant for the land required for the musafarkhana to be constructed by pensioned Naib Sheristadar Krishnasingh at Kendanhalli, Sidlagatta Taluk, may be submitted in the prescribed form for the Chief Commissioner's signature.	5th May 1879.	
2	On the representation of the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the proceedings in revenue case No. 3 of 1878—79 on the file of the Devanhalli Amildar's Court were quashed, and a re-trial of the case by a competent officer directed.	Do do	
3	In reply, the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed that his proposal to transfer from the Gudemarnhalli Jehli to that of Tavarekere of the Magadi Taluk, the four villages referred to, is approved, and that the necessary notification will be published in the Gazette when he is prepared to carry it into effect.	7th do	
4	In reply, a letter from C. Shamanna, Head Gumasta of this office, explaining that he is not liable to pay the arrears of revenue referred to, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr.	Do do	
5	The estimate and plan of Rai Bahadur Mallappa Chetty's distillery building at Kolar, were returned to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, with instructions.	10th do	
6	As solicited by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, instructions as to the manner in which the revenue realized on account of the arrack contract of the Division is to be shewn in the annual accounts, were issued to all the parties concerned.	Do do	
7	As recommended by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the alienation of certain land to be given to Shanbhog Raghavendra Rao, in lieu of his service inam land which has lost the means of irrigation owing to the tank under which it lies having been abandoned, was sanctioned, with the remark that an application will be made to Government for remission of the assessment.	12th do	
8	As requested, the Huzur jari inamti accounts of the former Seringapatam Taluk, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements.	Do do	
9	As requested, the accounts connected with the kayamgutta village of Byalkere of the Nelamangala Taluk, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements.	Do do	
10	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the bill for the refund of Rs. 532 to Tirumala and others on account of stamp duty improperly levied from them on *ad-interim* inam certificates, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
11	At the request of the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the alienation of the State lands to be granted to the villagers of Yelahanka in the Bangalore Taluk for a burial ground, in lieu of the present site which will be closed owing to its proximity to the bed of a tank, was sanctioned, with the remark that an application will be made to Government for the remission of assessment.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
12	In reply, the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was informed that the security of Rs. 6,000 having been originally asked for from Messrs. Davy, Muddappa & Co., for the arrack manufacture, a higher amount need not now be demanded.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	12th May 1879.	
13	In reply, the Superintendent, Inam Settlements, was informed that the sanad, &c, connected with the Binakanhunse village, Tarikere Taluk, are not forthcoming among the records of this office.	Do do	
14	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, the alienation of the land in the Closepet Taluk taken up for the Mysore State Railway was sanctioned, with the remark that an application will be made to the Government of India for the remission of the assessment thereon.—Communicated to the officers concerned.	Do do	
15	The Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga was requested to explain, with reference to the price current of food grains in his district for the fortnight ending 30th ultimo, why the quantity of firewood shewn in columns 27, 28 and 29 has been given in "Pounds" instead of in "Seers" as heretofore.	Do do	
16	The Treasury Officer, Bangalore District, was informed of the alteration made in the return of price current of food grains in the District of Bangalore for the fortnight ending 30th ultimo.	Do do	
17	Orders relative to the petition of Rai Bahadur Lakshman Rao, were passed and communicated to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, to the Secretary, Public Works Department and to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	13th do	
18	As solicited by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the remission of Rs. 228—8—6 on account of half the wet assessment for the years 1877—78 and 1878—79 on lands lying waste below the Chalya Hirikere Tank in the Channaraypatna Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
19	The papers on the subject of the boundary dispute between the Amrut Mahal Balasamudra kaval and the jodi inam village of Mallanhalli in the Bamvar Taluk, were forwarded to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner with instructions.	Do do	
20	As requested, the kayamgutta statement of the Janganakote Taluk in which the Bairasandra village is included, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements.	Do do	
21	Orders relative to the recommendation submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, for a remission of Rs. 3,003 to the renters of ganja and opium from 1875—76 to 30th June 1878, were passed and communicated to the Commissioner in reply.	14th do	
22	Orders relative to the toddy farm of the Bannvar Taluk, were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
23	Orders relative to the recommendation of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, for the grant of a remission of one third of the arrears of jodi due by the Vrittidars of Timlapur, Budihal Taluk, were passed and communicated to that officer in reply.	15th do	
24	In reply, the Government of Madras was informed that no special sayer establishments are maintained at any of the railway stations except at Bangalore where the Municipality has an establishment for the levy of the sayer as well as municipal duties on the articles brought in from the railway station.	Do do	
25	Orders on the report of the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur on the sales of land on account of arrears of revenue in the Bannvar Taluk, were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, in reply.	Do do	
26	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, the payment of compensation amounting to Rs. 287—2—0 on account of	16th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	certain land in the Closepet Taluk taken up for the Mysore State Railway, was sanctioned, as also the alienation of the land.		
27	Orders relative to the lands of the Dalvai family being subjected to the operations of the Survey and Settlement Department, were passed and communicated to the parties concerned.	16th May 1879.	
28	Coffee patta No. 103—8567 in favor of Pandervalli Deveganda was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur duly signed by the Chief Commissioner.	Do do	
29	Orders were in reply communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, regarding the levy by inamdars of mohatarfa from their ryots.—Communicated to the Commissioners of Nagar and Ashtagram for information.	17th do	
30	Patta No. 320 was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur duly altered as requested.	Do do	
31	The Commissioner of Nundydroog was requested to intimate in reply to the Sivaganga Matt that there seems no occasion for the Government taking charge of the minor inams referred to.—Communicated to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements.	19th do	16th April 1879, Part II, R. A. & C.
32	On the explanation rendered by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, the payment of compensation amounting to Rs. 163—6—0, on account of the land in the Kenchankuppe village of the Closepet Taluk taken up for the Mysore State Railway, was sanctioned, as also the alienation of the land, regarding which the Deputy Commissioner was informed that an application will be made to Government for remission of the assessment.—Communicated to officers concerned.	Do do	
33	At the request of the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the grant of the land to one Venkatgiriyappa in lieu of his Shanbhog service inam land submerged by the Jakkur tank in the Bangalore Taluk, was sanctioned, as also its alienation, regarding which the Commissioner was informed that an application will be made to Government for remission of the assessment.	Do do	
34	Orders relative to the subject of lowering the waste-weir of the Sunnakal tank and leasing the lands comprised in the Government Experimental Farm, were passed and communicated to the several officers concerned.	20th do	14th ultimo, Part II, General.
35	The sanction of the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, dated 3rd instant, to the permanent remission of assessment on the lands in the Nundydroog Division, alienated during the quarter ending 31st March 1879, was communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, and to the Deputy Commissioners of Bangalore and Kolar.	Do do	10th ultimo, Part II, R. A. & C.
36	The attention of the Commissioners of Divisions was drawn to the instructions regarding the manufacture of earth salt, and requested to submit at an early date the information called for.	21st do	20th Jan. 1879, Part I, Revenue.
37	Orders relative to the subject of the disposal of waste and unutilized building sites within municipal limits were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, in reply, and to the Commissioners of Nundydroog and Nagar for information.	Do do	
38	A set of statements shewing local cess realized and allotted to local funds during the half year ending 31st March 1879, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	Do do	
39	Statements shewing the state of coffee cultivation in Mysore for the calendar years 1877 and 1878, were submitted to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	23rd do	
40	Letter dated 13th instant from the Superintending Engineer of Mysore, on the subject of the land proposed to be given in exchange for certain inam land rendered uncultivable by the excavation of gravel pits for the use of the Madras road in the Sisandra village, Huttur hobli,	Do do	4th March 1879, Part II, R. A. & C.

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	Kolar Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar for fuller information.		
41	Copies of the report submitted by the Government of India on the experimental cultivation of the opium poppy for the season of 1877–78, were forwarded to Commissioners of Divisions and Superintendent of Coorg.	26th May 1879.	
42	Orders relative to the petition from Narayanaraya of Bullur in the Yedatore Taluk, appealing against an order of the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, imposing additional assessment on excess land discovered in his holding, were passed and forwarded to the Commissioner for communication to the petitioner.	Do do	
43	Orders relative to the application of one Dasappa for land under the Karikere-tank in the Honnavalli Taluk, Tumkúr District, were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.	Do do	
44	Letter No. 2872—71, dated 26th August 1869, granting the village of Hanumasagara in the Honnali Taluk on kayamgutta tenure, together with a copy of the sanad, was returned, as asked for, to the Superintendent of Inams, with a request that it may be re-transmitted when no longer required.	27th do	
45	Coffee patta No. 325 in favor of Mr. W. P. Stephenson was signed by the Chief Commissioner and returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur.	Do do	
46	Orders relative to the Baiyappanhalli Maravarte kaval land taken up for the interment of paupers, were passed and communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, Deputy Accountant General, and the Superintendent, Revenue Survey.	28th do	5th Feb. 1879, Part II, R. A. & C.
47	Orders directing that the supplemental estimate submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore for certain additional work required for the Government chattram at Hoskote be forwarded to the Executive Engineer of the district for examination and opinion, were passed and communicated to the Deputy Commissioner and the Executive Engineer.	Do do	
48	In reply, the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed that his recommendation to discontinue the annual revenue return class II, No. 4, as the practice of renting out villages under the old kalvadi izara system no longer exists, is approved.—Communicated to the Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar, for information and guidance.	Do do	
49	Orders relative to the petition dated 3rd instant from Messrs. Brown and Ruchmal Sait, Toddy Contractors of Mysore District, were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	12th instant Part I, Revenue.
50	In forwarding a petition from certain ryots of the Kebhalli and Chelmasandra villages of the Kunigal Taluk, the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkur was requested to cause the circumstances under which remission of arrears of revenue has been refused to be distinctly explained to them, and to allow any postponement that may be required under the circumstances of the case.	Do do	
51	Letter from the Commissioner, Nagar Division, and its enclosures, regarding the levy of irrigation cess in the Malnad Taluks of the Shimoga District, were forwarded with remarks to the Survey and Inam Commissioner for opinion.	Do do	
52	Instructions were in reply conveyed to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, with regard to the appointment of a Gumasta to look after the affairs of the temple of Gopalkrishna Devaru at Agumbe in the Kavaledurga Taluk.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
53	Instructions were in reply conveyed to the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur, with regard to the coffee patta which is reported to have been tampered with.	29th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
54	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur was informed that the revenue due by Hanumappa Nayik, Pallegar of Tarikere, on account of kandayam, may be recovered in the usual course by attachment and sale of property if necessary after giving notice to the Pallegar.	30th May 1879.	
55	With reference to the taking up of a portion of one Subba Bhatta's inam land for the Bangalore-Vartur road, the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was requested to intimate whether the compensation proposed for the land is intended to meet the inamdar's entire right to it.	Do do	
56	With reference to the refund of Rs. 5-6-9, recommended to be granted to Marimallaiya of Sirchalli in the Tarikere Taluk, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was requested to explain certain points connected with the subject.	Do do	
57	The jamabandi settlement statement of the Malur Taluk for 1878-79 was, as requested, returned to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

FINANCIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, a bill for the refund of Rs. 384—14—5 to the ryots of Gummaraddipura, Kodicheru and Boshalli villages in the Srinivaspur Taluk, under the circumstances represented, was sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	3rd May 1879.	
2	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the re-appropriation statements providing funds for certain charges already incurred and remaining unadjusted in the Municipalities of Chikmagalur, Tarikere, Birur, and Kadur, were sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
3	On the application of the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the transfer to the retired list of Anantappa, Nagadi Gumasta, Kolar Taluk, on a pension of Rs. 7—6—6 per mensem, and the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 250 to Ranga Nayik, Daffedar, Government Distillery, Bangalore, were sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
4	On the application of the Director of Public Instruction, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 80 to Assistant Taluk School Master Bhaskaraiya and of Rs. 29 to Lascar Kuppasami, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
5	Under the circumstances represented by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the refund of Rs. 3—7—0 to one Narasimmachari and others was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	5th do	
6	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the bill for Rs. 155—5—10, being the expenditure incurred in the care and feed of the 48 Amrut Mahal bulls allotted to the Division, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
7	At the request of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the refund of Rs. 1—8—4 to one Srinivasaraghavachari, late a Shekdar in the Kankanpa Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
8	At the suggestion of the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore, the amount of the bill for the expenditure incurred by the Amildar of Talkad on the occasion of the journey of His Highness the Maha Raja to and from Sivasamudram, was reduced from Rs. 55 to Rs. 31—6—0.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	6th do	
9	As requested by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the expenditure incurred in the up-keep of the Jakkur fuel plantation in the Bangalore District during the year 1878—79, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
10	On an application submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the transfer to the retired list of Subba Rao, Sayer Accountant, Hassan District Office, on a pension of Rs. 11—13—6 per mensem, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
11	On an application submitted by the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, the transfer to the retired list of Appavu	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	Modaliar, Vaccinator, Chitaldroog District, on a pension of Rs. 5 per mensem, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.		
12	A remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 650—6—6, being the balance of the Mansion House Funds of the Shimoga District, was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury at Bangalore.	7th May 1879.	
13	At the request of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the transfer to the retired list of Krishnappa, Shroff, on a pension of Rs. 3—8—1 per mensem, as also the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 140 to peon Rama and of Rs. 68 to sweeper Lakka, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
14	A remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 2,403—4—5, being the balance of the Mansion House Funds of the Chitaldroog District, was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury at Bangalore.	Do do	
15	The budget estimates of the Mysore Town Municipality for 1879—80 were returned to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, duly sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
16	As submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the bill amounting to Rs. 363, for the repairs of the chattram at Belur, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
17	As submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the bill amounting to Rs. 289—4—0, for the repairs of certain ornaments belonging to the Narayanswami Temple at Melkote, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
18	The Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed that proposals to relax the pension rules in the case of employés whose services may be dispensed with in the impending revision of establishments are under the consideration of Government, and that pending sanction, he may so far act up to them as to defer sending in applications for pension for those officials whose circumstances will bring them within their scope.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	8th do	31st Jan. 1879, Part II, Genl.
19	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the bill for Rs. 11—10—0 on account of the Jahgir allowance payable to Ibram Khan, a Muzrayi Stipendiary of the Anekal Taluk, was sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	9th do	
20	As submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, a bill for Rs. 1,294—15—6 on account of the amount of allowance payable to Nagad Bhatmanyaandars of the Mysore District for the year 1876—77, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
21	A public service transfer receipt for Rs. 1,024—15—6, being the balance of the Mansion House Funds of the Kadur District, was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury at Bangalore.	Do do	
22	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, a notification of sanction for Rs. 23—10—9, for purchasing printed forms for the use of the Municipal Department of the Chitaldroog District, was accepted and full appropriation sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
23	Under the circumstances represented, the bill for Rs. 28—8—0, submitted by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, being the amount of charges incurred by the Amildar of the Koratagere Taluk in 1877, in the transmission by express of returns and reports required in connection with the recent famine, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	10th do	
24	As solicited by the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury at Bangalore, the payment of Rs. 40—7—0, being the pay of four temporary Shroffs who were engaged for the purpose of ex-	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	pediting the examination of the balance of copper in the treasury, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.		
25	On an application submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the transfer to the retired list of Tayur Subba Rao, Shekdar, Attikuppa Taluk, on a pension of Rs. 7—3—0 per mensem, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	10th May 1879.	
26	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that, under the circumstances represented, the charge of Rs. 208—10—8 incurred on account of the conveyance of tents, &c., during his recent tour through the Nagar Division, is sanctioned and the bill forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	Do do	
27	As requested by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the refund of Rs. 65—4—0 to the ryots of the Novinkere village in the Koratagere Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
28	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that the Chief Commissioner desires that no retrenchment be made in the case of Lieutenants Peile and Mostyn who have been allowed full pay and allowances during the first six months of the leave granted to them under special circumstances.	Do do	
29	The batta bills of the Superintendent, Experimental Farm, for the months of March and April 1879, were returned to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, duly countersigned.	12th do	
30	Copy of letter dated 21st ultimo, from the Government of India, Financial Department, condoning the break of three months and 11 days in the service of Ram Rao, late Translator, Commissioner's office, Ashtagram Division, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with a request that the usual certificate and report may be submitted with a view to that individual's transfer to the pension list.	Do do	6th March 1879, Part II. Genl.
31	The Ashtagram Commissioner's mileage bill for the month of April 1879 was countersigned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	Do do	
32	As requested by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the remission of an irrecoverable balance of Rs. 72—10—4, due by Nanjundaiya and others holding lands under the Gondankere tank in the Closepet Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
33	The Deputy Accountant General was, in reply, informed that the Chief Commissioner regrets exceedingly to learn of the deficiency as ascertained in the copper balance of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, and requested to explain more fully certain circumstances connected with the deficiency in question.	Do do	4th ultimo, Part II, Finl.
34	At the request of the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the sum of Rs. 500—4—10 was sanctioned from the balance of the Mansion House Funds remaining in the hands of the Deputy Accountant General, to meet the payment of Rs. 272—1—2 to one Venkatsetti for grain supplied to the famine kitchen at Hebbur, and the adjustment of Rs. 228—3—8, expended from Imperial Funds for feeding paupers in the Kitchen at Gubbi.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
35	On an application submitted by the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Public Works Department, the grant of an invalid pension of Rs. 21—13—8 per mensem to Tirumal Rao, late Sub-Overseer, with effect from the 6th October 1878, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
36	On an application submitted by the Superintending Engineer of Mysore, the grant of an invalid pension of Rs. 7—15—2, to Ramappa, late Sub-Overseer of the Channel Conservancy Department, with effect from the 1st July 1878, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	13th do	

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37	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the re-appropriation statement providing funds for the payment of the salary of the sweepers in the Tarikere Municipality for 1878—79, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	13th May 1879.	
38	As explained by the Anche Bakshi, the purchase of the scales required for the use of his Department at a cost of Rs. 90, was sanctioned —Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	14th do	7th ultimo, Part II, Genl.
39	A sum of Rs. 13—8—0 was forwarded to the Proprietor of the *Bangalore Spectator* in part payment of his bill for advertising the sale of telegraph supports.	Do do	21st ultimo, Part II, Genl.
40	As submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the revised re-appropriation statement for Rs. 703 providing funds to meet the pay of the Khaliyat establishments of the Seringapatam Municipality from 1st April to 12th October 1878, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	Do do	
	The Government of India, Foreign Department, was asked for early orders on the letter from this office soliciting sanction to the grant of an invalid pension to Chitambraiya, late Mestri of the Shimoga Taluk, Nagar Division.	15th do	2nd Nov. 1877, Part II, Final,
42	The statement of expenditure on account of the Pettah Famine Relief Camp from the 16th to the 30th April 1879 submitted by Dr. Henderson, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for check and return.	16th do	
43	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, two bills on account of charges incurred in escorting to Madras Mr. John Denehy, a European, who has been reported by the Surgeon, Mysore Commission, to be a lunatic, as well as for the cost of his maintenance at the Asylum for the month of February 1879, were sanctioned —Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	Do do	
44	A remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 851—10—10, being the balance of the Mansion House Fund money of the Hassan District, was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury.	Do do	
45	A remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 1,750—11—2, being the balance of the Mansion House Fund money of the Mysore District, was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury.	Do do	
46	As submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the bill for Rs. 2,000, being the amount expended in feeding Brahmins during the annual festival at Subramanyam and Bisle chattrams during 1878—79, was countersigned, and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	Do do	
47	As requested, an estimate for Rs. 40—6—0 on account of repairing the stone stairs of the Narayanaswami temple at Melkote in the Attikuppa Taluk, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan, duly registered	Do do	
48	On an application submitted by the Director of Public Instruction, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 90 to Shamaiengar, Hobli Master, Attibele, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	17th do	
49	On an application submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 215—11—0 to Bester Anka, Revenue Peon, Malvalli Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
50	On an application submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 166—14—0 to Alur Chikka, Revenue Peon, Hassan Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
51	Six statements of pensions and gratuities sanctioned during the quarter ended 31st March 1879, prepared in the prescribed form by	Do do	

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	the Deputy Accountant General, were submitted to the Government of India, Financial Department.		
52	The Deputy Accountant General was requested to furnish a statement shewing the actual cash balance which remained to the credit of each Municipality in the Bangalore District on the 1st April last.	17th May 1879.	
53	At the request of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the payment of the cost of the iron safes supplied to the temples in the Kadur District from the available funds of the several temples referred to, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
54	Instructions were in reply communicated to the Deputy Accountant General, with reference to the charge of Rs. 50 per mensem on account of the rent for the Town and Cantonment Police Office.	19th do	22nd ultimo, Part II, Financial.
55	At the request of the Inspector General of Police, the transfer to the retired list of Anantachar, late Police Inspector, Malur Taluk, on a pension of Rs. 13—0—4 per mensem, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
56	The bill for Rs. 289—12—0, being the charge incurred for publishing an advertisement in the local newspapers, was returned to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, with a request that it may be submitted through the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
57	The statement submitted by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, shewing the particulars of receipts and expenditure by the Superintendent, Experimental Farm, on account of the manufacture of ploughs during the quarter ending 20th April 1879, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, for adjustment.	20th do	
58	The Deputy Accountant General was requested to furnish a statement shewing the actual cash balance which remained to the credit of each Municipality in the Hassan District on the 1st April last.	Do do	
59	The Nundydroog Commissioner's batta bill for the month of May 1879 was countersigned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, for audit.	Do do	
60	The Nagar Commissioner's batta bill for the month of April 1879, was duly countersigned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	21st do	
61	At the request of the Director of Public Instruction, the continuance of the rent amounting to Rs. 3 per mensem for the Taluk branch school at Doddaballapur was sanctioned for the current official year.	22nd do	17th June 1878, Part II, Financial.
62	On the application of the Superintending Engineer of Mysore, the transfer to the retired list on a pension of Rs. 10—15—4 per mensem of V. Somasundra Modaliar, late Record-keeper was, together with the payment of a gratuity aggregating Rs. 883—15—6 to four individuals of inferior rank, sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
63	On the application of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the payment of a gratuity to Oba Nayik, Jamadar, Chitaldroog District Office, and Gollar Subba, Peon, Shimoga Jail, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
64	On an application submitted by the Deputy Inspector General of Police, the payment of gratuity to Daffedar Malla Nayik and Peon Shek Ahmed and Venkatramana, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
65	A rent of Rs. 8 per mensem on account of the building taken up for the Tirthahalli Taluk Cutcherry was sanctioned for the current official year, with the remark that sanction will be renewed if necessary, and the Commissioner, Nagar Division, requested to report certain particulars regarding the building which has been abandoned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	23rd do	8th instant, Part II, General.

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66	The detailed contingent bill of the Muzrayi Department for the month of April 1879, submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan, was countersigned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	23rd May 1879.	
67	On an application submitted by the Anche Bakshi, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 53—7—0 to Narasa, late Mashalchi, Head-quarter Anche Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	27th do	
68	On an application submitted by the Director of Public Instruction, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 50 to Gair Hanumanta, Peon of the Kanarese School at Gummayakanpalya, was sanctioned —Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
69	Copies of the letter from the Deputy Superintendent, Great Trigonometrical Survey of India, authorizing the expenditure of Rs. 5—9—6 for the repairs of each of the survey stations situated on Devarayadurga and Ramadevarbetta, were forwarded to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, and Deputy Accountant General with instructions.	Do do	9th ultimo, Part II, General.
70	The statement of expenditure from 1st to 15th instant, submitted by Dr. Henderson in charge of the Pettah Famine Relief Camp and Hospitals, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for check.	Do do	
71	On an application submitted by the Military Assistant, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 270 to Hubbe Ali, Armourer, Mysore Barr Establishment, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
72	Receipt of two public service transfer receipts, submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, being the balance of Mansion House Funds, was acknowledged, and the transfer receipts forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury.	Do do	
73	As submitted by the Superintending Engineer of Mysore, the estimate for Rs. 7,426 for the construction of distillery buildings at Kukerhalli near Mysore, was sanctioned with remarks.—Communicated to the officers concerned.	Do do	
74	At the instance of the Deputy Accountant General, the Deputy Commissioners of the Shimoga, Chitaldroog and Kadur Districts were directed to carry into effect the arrangement with regard to the abolition of taluk treasuries at district head quarters from such date as may be necessary.—Communicated to Commissioner, Nagar Division, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	30th ultimo. Part I, Finl,
75	The cash balance statement shewing the money remaining at the several treasuries of Mysore on the 1st May 1879, was returned to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
76	On an application submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 261 to Daffedar Abdul Khadar of the Mysore Deputy Commissioner's Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	28th do	
77	On the report of the Deputy Accountant General, the transfer to the retired list of Gulam Husen, Daroga of the Seringapatam Sandal Koti, on a pension of Rs. 13—5—4 per mensem, was sanctioned.	Do do	13th instant Part II, Genl.
78	On an application submitted by the Inspector General of Police the payment of gratuity aggregating Rs. 482 to certain men of the Police of the Shimoga District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
79	On an application submitted by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the transfer to the retired list of Timmaiya, Naib Sheristadar, Nanjangúd Sub-Division, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
80	On an application submitted by the Anche Bakshi, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 180 and 115 to Anche Runners Mudli and Dod	29th do	

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	Rama respectively, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.		
81	As submitted by the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, the proposition statement for the revision of the salary of the Kotval and Mutsaddi of the Bangalore Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	29th May 1879.	
82	Observations relative to the balance at the credit of His Highness the Maha Raja's Chattram at Tirupati, were communicated in reply to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, with a request that he will submit an explanation as to the reason of the short credit referred to.	Do do	
83	In reply, the Government of India was informed of the Chief Commissioner's intentions with regard to reductions in the Account Department of this Administration.	Do do	
84	On the report of the Deputy Accountant General, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 138 to Nasar Ahmed, Asham Peon attached to the Chief Commissioner's establishment, was sanctioned.	31st do	19th instant, Part II, General.
85	As requested by the Judicial Commissioner, the purchase of furniture at a cost of Rs. 140 for the use of the Munsiff's Court at Tarikere Sub-Division, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	30th ultimo, Part II, Fin.
86	A sum of Rs. 8—5—0 was forwarded to the Managing Proprietor of the *Bangalore Examiner*, in adjustment of his bill for advertizing the sale of the telegraph supports on the Bangalore-Mysore road.	Do do	
87	On the recommendation of the Director of Public Instruction, the payment to Mr. F. E. Harman, Superintendent, Experimental Farm, Bangalore, of Rs. 100 as an honorarium for preparing an elementary text book on agriculture for the use of schools, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
88	Owing to the large number of sick in the Famine Relief Hospitals having to be provided for, Dr. J. Henderson was in reply informed that sanction to the arrangements proposed by him being continued during the month of June, is accorded.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

GENERAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	In reply, the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division was informed that the prices of articles should be shewn in the standard seer of 80 tolas.	1st May 1879.	
2	The thanks of the Chief Commissioner were, in reply, conveyed to the Government of Bombay, General Department, for having instructed Major Coussmaker, Bo. s. c. to send the seed cocoons required by the Reverend G. Richter, Inspector of Schools in Coorg.	Do do	3rd ultimo, Part II, Genl.
3	In reply, the Government of India, Famine Department was informed of the names of the officers who have, since employment on famine duty, been obliged to take leave through failure of health and have been recommended for the first concession specified in the resolution of the 10th August 1878, No. 2087, on the subject.	2nd do	
4	A notification posting Mr. C. Soob Rao, Assistant Commissioner to the Mysore District as a General Assistant, was gazetted and copy sent to the officers concerned.	Do do	
5	A notification granting Mr. P. Panchanath Rao, Police Assistant Commissioner, Túmkúr District, 3 months' privilege leave from such date as he may avail himself of it, was gazetted, and copy sent to the Inspector General of Police.	Do do	
6	A notification granting Mr. K. Sheshadri Iyer, B. A., B. L., Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr, 24 days' privilege leave from the 22nd March to 14th April 1879 both days inclusive, was gazetted.	Do do	
7	The Deputy Accountant General's report anent a certain currency note for Rs. 100 was forwarded to the Post Master General, Madras, for information.	Do do	22nd ultimo, Part II, Genl.
8	The Secretary to the Famine Commission, Simla, was informed of the despatch to his address of a copy of the Administration Report of Mysore for 1877—78, together with a copy of the Irrigation Report as asked for.	Do do	
9	Orders relative to the Muzrayi Establishments at District Headquarters, were passed and communicated to the Commissioners of Divisions.	3rd do	
10	The nine keys of the Tutor's bungalow forwarded to this office by the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, were acknowledged.	5th do	
11	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was informed that an officer appointed to fill a vacancy substantive temporary is entitled to draw the full pay of the post; but if appointed to act he can only draw 20 per cent of the absentee's pay in addition to his own substantive pay.	Do do	
12	As submitted by the President, the proceedings of an ordinary meeting of the Municipal Commission held on the 22nd ultimo, were recorded.	Do do	
13	A bill from the Proprietor of the *Bangalore Examiner* for Rs 8—5—0, for publishing in his news-paper the notification regarding the sale of telegraph posts, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, with the request that the amount may be remitted to this office for payment.	Do do	11th March 1879, Part II, Genl.

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14	A copy of "The Life of John Wilson" was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction, with the enquiry whether he would recommend any more copies of the work being purchased.	5th May 1879.	
15	The monthly tabular statement of vacancies and a register of effective and non-effective officers employed in Mysore and Coorg, with proportionate return for April 1879, were forwarded to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Do do	
16	Mr. S. Lee, Bangalore, was asked if canvas is made in his factory, and what he would charge for making up bags of the pattern in use in the Anche Department.	Do do	
17	The Government of India, Foreign Department, was in accordance with instructions, informed that the Imperial Mail runner from Mysore *en route* to Bangalore was attacked by robbers on the night of the 18th ultimo near the Boppanhalli Tank about two miles from the Town of Mysore and robbed of the mail bags.	6th do	23rd ultimo, Part II, Genl.
18	The original report detailing the result of an investigation into certain points connected with the proceedings of Tirumalachari, Amildar of Kunigal Taluk, was returned to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.	Do do	29th ultimo, Part II, Genl.
19	The Assistant Quarter Master General, Mysore Division, was informed of the damaged state in which the doors of the Powder-Magazine and the stand of the Lightning-conductor at Harihar are, and told that if the military authorities desire it, the articles will be auctioned and the proceeds realized carried to the credit of Her Majesty's Government.	Do do	
20	The Government of Madras, Military Department, was requested to sanction the building at Anagod in the Davangere Taluk, Chitaldroog District, known as the soldiers' rest house, which is unoccupied, being temporarily placed at the disposal of this Administration, with a view to its being utilized as a police station.	Do do	
21	In reply, the Inspector General of Police was requested to obtain from Mr. Ganesh Singh, Police Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldroog District, the declaration certificate required by section 32 (1) of the Civil Leave Code.	Do do	
22	The Superintendent of the Experimental Farm, Bangalore, was requested to furnish this office with a copy of his report on the operations of the Farm during the half year ending 31st December 1878.	Do do	
23	The application from Mr. Venkat Vardaiengar, Police Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, for three months' privilege leave was returned to the Inspector General of Police, with a request that it may be re-submitted with the declaration required by the Civil Leave Code.	Do do	
24	As requested, manuscript copies of the classified, general, and disposition lists of officers in the Forests and Survey Departments, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg.	Do do	
25	A petition from Gummaiya of Bangalore, was forwarded to the District Magistrate of Bangalore.	Do do	
26	An anonymous petition received at this office, was forwarded to the District Magistrate of Bangalore for information.	Do do	
27	Copy of an endorsement given to Hanumantaraya, Hissedar in the Shanbhogship of the Mandihalli village, Shikarpur Taluk, in reply to his petition dated 27th January last, was forwarded to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, for information.	Do do	
28	The Judicial Commissioner was requested to furnish this office with a copy of his letter dated 23rd December 1878.	Do do	
29	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was asked whether Mr. E. S. Subrayer is willing to accept the post of Public Prosecutor in the Nagar Division on Rs. 100 per month, and whether he recommends the appointment.	Do do	

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30	Extracts from the report on the famine orphanages in Bangalore for the quarter ending 31st March 1879, submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, were directed to be sent to the Missionaries concerned with remarks.	6th May 1879.	
31	In reply, the Judicial Assistant Commissioner, Hassan District, was informed that 20 sheets of form of remittance statement were despatched on his requisition on the 4th ultimo.	7th do	
32	In reply, the Assistant Commissioner of Forests, Nagar Division, was informed that envelopes are not issued, they being made up of the paper supplied from the Stationery Depôt.	Do do	
33	Packing account of Mysore Fund remittance stores per S. S. *Bride*, dated 19th March 1879, was forwarded to the Superintendent of the Government Press with instructions.	Do do	
34	The receipt of a case of books received per S. S. *Eldorado*, was returned to the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores and Workshop, Madras, duly signed.	Do do	
35	The letter of the Government of India, Home Department, dated 18th ultimo, anent the branches of the service reserved for Natives of India, was gazetted and copies distributed.	Do do	
36	At the request of the Judicial Commissioner, the transfer of the Head Munshi of the Húnsúr Munsiff's Court to that of Alur, and of the Head Munsiff of the Court at Alur to that at Húnsúr, was sanctioned, with the remark that transfers of ministerial officers of Munsiffs' Courts may be made without reference to the Chief Commissioner.	Do do	
37	As solicited by the Superintendent, Mysore Government Museum, Bangalore, the purchase of a model of the Taj at Agra at a cost of Rs. 18, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
38	A report on the season was telegraphed to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	
39	In reply, T. Rajaram Pille, Head Draughtsman and Estimator, Public Works Department, was informed that no expectation of his getting the post of Amildar to which he aspires can be held out to him.	8th do	
40	Printed copies of the returns of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 31st March 1879, were submitted to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	9th ultimo, Part II, General.
41	The Superintending Engineer was asked when the new taluk cutcherry at Tirthahalli is likely to be built.	Do do	
42	In reply, the Government of Madras, Military Department, was informed that the direction of the water-course which flows close to the native cemetery at Mutkarpalyam near the Alsur Tank, Bangalore, has been changed as proposed.	Do do	19th Feb. 1879, Part II, Genl.
43	A notification transferring Mr. T. Srinivasaiengar, Assistant Commissioner, temporarily from the Inam Department for employment in the Revenue Department of the Chief Commissioner's Office at Bangalore, was gazetted and copy sent to the Superintendent, Inam Settlements, with instructions.	Do do	
44	A notification investing Gopalaiengar, acting Amildar, Chitaldroog Taluk, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd class, was gazetted and copy sent to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
45	A notification of the assumption of charge of the office of Deputy Commissioner, Túmkúr District, by Mr. K. Sheshadri Iyer, B. A., B. L., from Mr. J. Lacey B. L., on the forenoon of the 1st May 1879, was gazetted.	Do do	
46	A notification of the sale by public auction of the right of grazing the grass growing on the Bangalore Water Supply catchment	Do do	

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	grounds at the Sar Amin's Cutcherry at Bangalore on the 10th instant, was forwarded to the Proprietor, *Bangalore Spectator*, for publication in his newspaper.		
47	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was informed that the three hydrometers applied for will be despatched with the stationery for his Division, which will shortly leave for Shimoga.	9th May 1879.	
48	Early orders were requested of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, on the letter from this office, soliciting sanction to debit to the Imperial Budget the cost of the additional police establishment entertained for carrying out the provisions of the Contagious Disease Act.	Do do	24th Sept. 1878, Part II, General.
49	In reply, the Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, was informed that ten copies of each of the Mysore Topographical Survey maps, Nos. 16 and 17, were forwarded on the 7th October last to the Chief Engineer, and that in future he will, as requested, be furnished with *two copies of each sheet, as the maps are received from* the Survey General's office.	Do do	7th October 1878, Part II, Genl.
50	The Examiner, Public Works Accounts, was requested to depute an official to receive charge of the stationery for his establishment for 1879—80, at this office on Monday the 12th instant.	Do do	
51	The Deputy Commissioner, Hassan, was asked why in the comparative statement submitted. the town Alur, whose population was shewn at 1,127 souls in the return No. I furnished by the Deputy Accountant General, is omitted.	Do do	
52	Remarks relative to the compensation payable to Mr. Ross for his land taken up for the Race Course Road, were in reply, communicated to the President, Cantonment Municipal Commission, Bangalore.	Do do	
53	Printed lists of objects of antiquarian interest in Mysore and Coorg, were submitted to the Government of India, Home Department.	Do do	23rd Nov. 1878, Part II, General.
54	Copies of the Gradation and Distribution Lists of Officers in the Mysore and Coorg Commissions, for the quarter ending 31st March 1879, were forwarded to heads of departments.	Do do	
55	The two statements of services submitted by Mr. T. Narrappa, Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldroog District, who has applied to retire from the service, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with an enquiry whether they will be sufficient to enable him to verify that officer's services, or whether an application in the prescribed form should be submitted.	Do do	
56	On the recommendation of the Collector of North Arcot, certain additional repairs to the Maha Raja's Chatram at Upper Tirupati, were sanctioned.	Do do	31st Nov. 1878, Part II, General.
57	The grant of four days' privilege leave to Mr. Mahomed Ali, Khan Bahadur, Town Magistrate of Mysore, was gazetted.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	10th do	
58	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that no orders have as yet been received on the reference made to the Government of India on the subject of the special absentee (famine) allowance for six months applied for by Major E. Ludlow.	Do do	
59	The Superintendent, Government Press, was requested to supply 300 copies of the form of schedule of establishment as amended.	Do do	
60	In reply, the Commissioner, Kundydroog Division, was informed that the promissory notes lodged as securities by the toddy and arrack contractors may be endorsed in favor of the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore and deposited in the District Treasury.	Do do,	
61	The Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District, was informed of the despatch by Anche of certain articles of stationery for immediate use until the receipt of the supply for 1879—80.—Communicated to the	Do do	

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	Commissioner of the Nagar Division with the intimation that the stationery for 1879—80 for the whole of the offices in his Division will be despatched on the 13th instant.		
62	A notification was gazetted appointing Amildar Ramanujaiengar of the Goribidnur Taluk as Amildar and 2nd Class Magistrate of the Malur Taluk *vice* Khaja Mohadin retired on pension; Amildar Tammaiya of the Gudibanda Taluk as Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of the Goribidnur Taluk; and C. Shamaiengar, Head Accountant, Revenue Department, Nundydroog Division Commissioner's Office, as Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of the Gudibanda Taluk on probation.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, and to the Deputy Accountant General.	10th May 1879.	
63	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner will await his recommendation to fill up the vacancy in the 2nd grade of Munsiffs.	Do do	
64	As requested, the returns of stores imported by this Administration per *S. S. El Dorado* during the month of April 1879, were forwarded to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	Do do	
65	The President, Town Municipal Commission, was, for the reasons stated, requested to submit the names of two other local residents eligible for appointment as Municipal Commissioners for the Divisions III and IV.	Do do	
66	In reply, Mr. S. Lee was asked if he could supply bags, Nos. 3 and 4, at the rate of Rs. 1—4—0 each.	12th do	5th instant, Part II, General.
67	On the recommendation of the Khazana Bakshi, the grant of six months' leave of absence to Chik Krishnappa Nayik, Palegar of Manjarabad, to proceed to the Talkad Taluk on private affairs, was sanctioned.	Do do	
68	A notice calling for applications for the post of Jailor in the Chitaldroog Jail was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette and Proprietor of the Bangalore Spectator for publication.	Do do	
69	In reply, the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed with reference to the claim made by Miss Anstey, that children must be restored when claimed by near relations able to support them, and that the restoration cannot be made contingent upon repayment of expenses incurred.	Do do	
70	The Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed of the appointment of Mr. R. H. James, the Manager of his Office, to the Managership of the Office of the Military Assistant, and requested to make arrangements for that gentleman assuming his new duties as soon after the 15th instant as possible.	Do do	
71	In reply, the Military Assistant was informed that the Chief Commissioner notes with satisfaction the remarks made on the good services rendered by Venkatachar, the retiring Civil Bakshi, and that Mr. R. H. James has been appointed to the Managership of his Office.	Do do	30th ultimo, Part I, Fin.
72	The letter of the Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog dated 15th April 1879, together with a petition, was forwarded to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, with a request that he will call upon the Deputy Commissioner to furnish an individual list of the subscriptions referred to collected for the church at Harihar.	Do do	
73	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 30th April 1879, was submitted to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	
74	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the fees claimed by Mr. Nepean Smith, Public Prosecutor of the Nundydroog Division, for having appeared in certain criminal cases, are sanctioned; that that gentleman may submit his pay bills and receive his	Do do	

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	stationery as hitherto; and that he may as suggested correspond direct with the Secretary in the General Department.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, and Deputy Accountant General.		
75	A petition from Siddalinga, Anche peon of Svapanahalli, was forwarded to the Anche Bakshi for disposal.	12th May 1879.	
76	A petition from Hanumant Rao Duré, son of the late Jamadar Nilakant Rao Duré of the 5th Risala, 1st Regiment, was forwarded to the Military Assistant for disposal.	Do do	
77	Instructions were in reply conveyed to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, relative to the cost of reconstructing the Narasimhaswami temple at Gorur in the Arkalgúd Taluk.	Do do	
78	The Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga was informed of the despatch of 33 cases of stationery for the offices at Shimoga, and requested to distribute the cases according to the addresses on them, and pay the cartmen the balances of hire amounting to Rs. 642.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, for information.	13th do	
79	The Commissioners of the Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions were requested to submit at an early date the statement of licenses granted under the Arms Act in their Divisions during the year 1878.	Do do	
80	On the report of the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, of the great increase in the number of wolves in the Bangalore District since the famine, a reward of Rs. 10 per wolf was sanctioned as an experimental measure for one year.	Do do	
81	In reply, the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was informed that the Khalihat Establishment maintained in the Seringapatam Municipality may as recommended be abolished.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
82	In reply, the President of the Cantonment Municipal Commission was informed that the fitness of the Octroi Manager must necessarily be judged by his collections, and that the report on the proposed amalgamation of the Sar Amin's Octroi Establishment with the Head Office will be awaited.	Do do	
83	Copies of the *Indian Medical Gazette*, Vol. XIV, No. 4, were forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, for distribution.	Do do	
84	Copy of letter dated 25th ultimo from the Government of India, Home Department, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner with a request that two sets of the circulars issued from his Office up to the end of 1878 may be furnished for transmission to the Government of India.	Do do	
85	Copy of letter dated 1st May 1879 from the Government of Bombay, intimating that there are at present no objections to the return to military duty of Captain M. Coussmaker, Assistant Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, was forwarded to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, for communication to that officer.	Do do	19th March 1879, Part II, General.
86	An application received from the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ashtagram Division, for superannuation pension on behalf of Gulam Husen, Daroga of the Seringapatam Sandal Koti, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for verification and report.	Do do	
87	A report on the season was telegraphed to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	14th do	
88	The Deputy Accountant General was requested to submit at an early date the indents for forms for 1879—80, required for the Chief Commissioner's Treasury and that of the Hassan District.	Do do	
89	A notification placing certain buildings temporarily at the disposal of the Engineer-in-Chief, Mysore State Railway, was gazetted and copy	Do do	

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	sent to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, and to the Engineer-in-Chief.		
90	Further particulars relating to the robbery of the Imperial Mail near the town of Mysore on the night of the 18th ultimo, were submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, for information.	14th May 1879.	6th instant, Part II, General.
91	The Assistant Conservator of Plantations, Nundydroog Division, was requested to depute an official to receive the stationery of his Office at the Depôt on Friday the 16th instant.	Do do	
92	The attention of certain Heads of Departments was drawn to the submission at an early date of indents for stationery for 1879—80.	Do do	
93	A notification granting B. Gangaiya, Probationary Amildar of the Kankanhalli Taluk, an extension of two months' leave on medical certificate, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.	Do do	12th March, Part II, General.
94	A notification inviting tenders for the lease for one year from 1st June 1879, of the lands comprised in the Mysore Government Experimental Farm at Bangalore, was published in the *Mysore Gazette* and local newspapers.	Do do	
95	Copies of the *Indian Medical Gazette*, Vol. XIV, No. 5, were forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department.	Do do	
96	A notification intimating that Mr. Shanmugavelu Pille, Assistant Commissioner, assumed charge of the duties of Treasury and Muzrayi Officer, Mysore District, from Mr. T. Ananda Rao, Assistant Commissioner, on the 30th April 1879, and that the latter officer assumed charge of the Palace Establishment from Mr. C Rangacharlu, C. I. E., on the forenoon of the 1st May 1879, was gazetted.	Do do	
97	In reply, the Director of Public Instruction was informed that the copy of the "Life of the Reverend John Wilson" already purchased may be placed in the Central College Library, and that under the circumstances reported, the purchase of more copies cannot be sanctioned.	Do do	5th instant, Part II, General.
98	A notification appointing Mr C. Rangacharlu, C. I. E., Revenue Commissioner and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the Revenue Department, and Mr. W. J. Cuningham, M. C. S., Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the General Department, and intimating that Mr. Rangacharlu assumed charge of his office in the forenoon of the 2nd instant, was gazetted.	Do do	
99	A notification granting Virasami Modaliar, Probationary Amildar of the Koratagere Taluk, an extension of one month's leave on medical certificate, was gazetted, and copy communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.	15th do	25th ultimo, Part II, General.
100	In reply, the Government of India, Legislative Department, was informed that, owing to the Christmas holidays, no *Mysore Gazette* was published on the 28th December 1878.	Do do	
101	The municipal grant and the deed of conveyance for General Dobbs's property in Cathcart Road, Bangalore, were forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury for safe custody.	Do do	
102	A notification intimating that D. Raghavendra Rao, Sheristadar of the Assistant Commissioner's Court, Húns'ur Sub-Division, acted as 5th Grade Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of the Malvalli Taluk, from 6th September to 19th December 1878, was gazetted. Copy communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	Do do	
103	Orders reducing Amildar S. Venkat Rangaiengar from the 3rd to 5th grade were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division. Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	18th March 1879, Part II, General.
104	The Commissioners of the Nundydroog and Nagar Divisions were requested to obtain and forward to this Office as early as possible the statement of the services of certain graded officers subordinate to them.	Do do	

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105	The Deputy Commissioner of Kadur was informed of the despatch of 14 cases of stationery for the use of the Offices in the Kadur District for 1879—80, with a request that the cases may on their arrival be distributed according to the addresses on them.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division.	15th May 1879.	
106	The memo of propositions to be laid before the ordinary meeting of the Municipal Board to be held on the 20th instant was recorded, and the President informed that such memos need not in future be submitted, minutes of proceedings being only required under the Municipal Regulations to pass through this office for publication in the Gazette.	Do do	
107	In reply, the President, Municipal Commission, was informed that the explanation rendered with regard to the contract entered into by Chaudri Mahomed Usman Sahib for the slaughter house fees, and to the free grant of land to Maulvi Jaffar Alli Sahib, is accepted.	Do do	
108	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was informed that the officials of his establishment who have attained the age of 55 years may be pensioned at once.	16th do	
109	Instructions were in reply communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, with regard to the rent which should be fixed on the Chaulu bandé in the Chitaldroog District.	Do do	
110	A notification of the grant of an extension of leave up to the 1st ultimo, to Mr. T. Ananda Rao, and of his resumption of charge of the Nanjangúd Sub-Division Assistant's Office from Mr Mahomed Ali, B.A., on the forenoon of the 2nd idem, was gazetted, and copy communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	Do do	
111	Instructions relative to the retiring of those officials of their establishments who have attained the age of 55 years, were conveyed to the Commissioners of the Nundydroog and Ashtagram Divisions.	Do do	
112	Instructions relative to the officials who were permitted to remain in the service after attaining the age of 55 years, were conveyed to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
113	The Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, was requested to state the grounds upon which the services of Karkun Lingo Swaji, who has attained the age of 55 years, are proposed to be retained.	Do do	
114	In reply, Mr. C. Cress, Chief Jailor, Central Jail, Bangalore, was informed that, for the reasons stated, the three months' privilege leave applied for cannot be granted.	Do do	
115	Instructions were in reply communicated to the Amche Bakshi regarding certain officials of his establishment who were permitted to remain in the service after attaining the age of 55 years.	Do do	
116	A notification granting Mr. Ganesh Singh, Police Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldroog District, one month's privilege leave from such date as he may avail himself of it, was gazetted, and copy sent to the Inspector General of Police with instructions.	Do do	6th instant, Part II, Genl.
117	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was informed that as all the famine relief operations have been closed long ago, no further grant can now be made for the purpose stated.	17th do	
118	The Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr was informed of the despatch of 14 cases of stationery for the use of the Offices in the Túmkúr District for 1879—80, with a request that the cases may on arrival be distributed according to the addresses on them.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.	Do do	
119	Forty-eight returns alphabetically arranged containing a record of the services of certain uncovenanted officers serving under this Administration were submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Do do	
120	In reply, the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed that the "Sayer Chavadi" in the Cantonment of Bangalore having been	Do do	

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	constructed from public funds, the Municipality though allowed its use, cannot claim the proceeds of its sale, and that they must be recovered from the Municipality and credited to Government.—Communicated to the President, Municipal Commission, and to the Deputy Accountant General.		
121	In reply, the Superintendent of the Inam Settlements was informed that the Chief Commissioner is pleased to invest C. Vyasa Rao, Head Clerk of his office with the powers of an Assistant Inam Superintendent, and that the arrangement for carrying on the inam inquiry and the proposal to abolish the temporarily sanctioned establishment referred to are approved.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	17th May 1879.	
122	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was informed that the nomination of Venkatramana Shastri by the late Vidya Sankara Bharatiswami as his successor to the Kudli matt, is recognized.—Communicated to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements for information.	Do do	
123	The Commissioners of the Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions were requested to submit a return of appointments of Taluk Sheristadars and Peshkars from January to March 1879.	Do do	
124	A notification appointing Krishnamurti Rao, Deputy Clerk of the Deputy Commissioner's office, Mysore District, to act as Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate at Malvalli during the absence of Ibrahim Bég on sick leave or until further orders, was gazetted, and copy communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, with remarks.	Do do	
125	As requested, a new hill tent for the use of the 2nd Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, was forwarded to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, with a request that the old one reported to be unserviceable may be sold and the proceeds credited to Government.	Do do	
126	The Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was requested to call upon the Public Works officer of the Hassan District to examine the estimate for Rs. 2,966 for repairing certain mantapas, &c., of the Yoga Narasimhaswami temple on the Melkote hill in the Attikuppa Taluk, and then submit the same for sanction.	Do do	
127	The Deputy Commissioner of Mysore was informed of the despatch of 32 register books of vital statistics for use in the Yelandur Taluk and Mysore town.	19th do	
128	Copies of the Mysore Civil list as it stood on the 1st April 1879 were distributed to the Government of India in the several departments and to other officers.	Do do	
129	An application for gratuity on behalf of Asham Peon Nasar Ahamad, attached to the Chief Commissioner's establishment, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for verification of service and report.	Do do	
130	Copies of the gradation and distribution lists of officers in Mysore and Coorg for the quarter ending 31st March 1879, were distributed as usual.	Do do	
131	In reply, Mr. Rangráv Bhimáji Jádhál, Deputy Collector, Ratnagiri, Bombay Presidency, was informed that his name and testimonials have been noted, and that his wish for employment in the Mysore Province will be considered.	Do do	
132	A duplicate packing account of stores per S. S. *Dorunda*, dated 22nd February 1879, was forwarded to the Military Assistant, with a request that the blank columns may be filled up, and the account returned to this office.	Do do	
133	The indent for printed forms required for the Munsiff's Court of the Túmkúr Sub-Division for 1879—80, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr, with the remark that it should be forwarded to this office through the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	

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134	The Deputy Accountant General was requested to return the two statements of the services of Mr. Narnappa in order that his application for pension may be prepared as far as possible in this office.	19th May 1879.	9th instant, Part II, General.
135	The remarks of the Chief Commissioner on the inspection report on the orphanage at Shimoga for the quarter ending 31st March 1879, were in reply communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga, with the intimation that the action of Dr. Benson in ordering the daily attendance of a Hospital Assistant is approved.	Do do	
136	As requested, the proceedings connected with the boundary dispute between Kuppahalli and Karahalli in the Nagamangala Taluk, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan.	Do do	
137	The Amche Bakshi was asked what was elicited during the enquiry held by him into the circumstances connected with the missing registered letter, and the grounds on which he acquits Mutsaddi Lingaiya of blame.	Do do	
138	A notification granting Syed Ahmed, Amildar of the Kunigal Taluk, three months' privilege leave from date of departure, and appointing Venkat Rao, Amildar, Kadaba Taluk, as Amildar and 2nd Class Magistrate of the Kunigal Taluk during the absence of Syed Ahmed or until further orders, and posting Gangaiya, Probationary Amildar, Kankanhalli Taluk, to the Kadaba Taluk until further orders, was gazetted and copies sent to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, and to the Deputy Commissioners of Bangalore and Túmkúr.	Do do	
139	The Director of Public Instruction was requested to report the grounds on which Mr. Coleman, Head Master, Túmkúr School, is recommended for retention in the service, as also the period of such retention.	20th do	
140	Surgeon-Major J. Henderson, M. D., was informed that in view of the diminution in numbers in the patients attending the Pettah Chief Hospital and consequent reduction of work, the special allowance payable to him is reduced to Rs. 100 per mensem from 1st May 1879.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
141	The letter from the President, Local Fund Board, Tinnevelly, enquiring whether V. R. Venkatachala Naidu and A. Murugesa Modali are qualified to hold the post of Hospital Assistant, was, together with its enclosures, referred to the Surgeon, Mysore Commission, for an expression of opinion.	Do do	
142	Mr. J. Pemberton, Agent at Madras, was requested to furnish to this office as early as practicable the usual number of copies of the Indexes for the *Indian Jurist* for 1878.	Do do	
143	An extract from the catalogue of books registered in Mysore under Act XXV of 1867 during the quarter ending 31st March 1879, was forwarded to the Government of India, Home Department, for entry in the book of registry kept under Act XX of 1847.	Do do	
144	In returning Captain G. J. van Someren's letter, dated Simla, 6th instant, the Town and Cantonment Magistrate, Bangalore, was informed that the original marriage certificate referred to was submitted to the Government of India on the 5th August 1868, and that copies thereof may probably be obtained from the Minister of the Baptist Chapel.	Do do	
145	A notification investing Mr. W. Knight, Munsiff, Kolar, with the powers of a magistrate of the 2nd class and with certain additional powers to be exercised in the taluks of Kolar, Betmangala, Mulbagal and Malur comprised in the civil jurisdiction of the Munsiff, was gazetted and copy sent to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
146	The Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed that, as solicited, the grant to Mr. Harman, Superintendent of the Experimental Farm, of 2 months and 24 days' privilege leave from such date as he may avail himself of it, is sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

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147	The Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog was informed of the despatch of seventeen cases of stationery for the use of the offices in his District, and requested that on the arrival of the cases, they may be distributed according to the addresses on them.	20th May 1879.	
148	The notification of the Government of India, Foreign Department, dated 8th instant, making temporary appointments consequent upon the retirement from the Commission of Colonel J. A. Campbell, was gazetted, and copies communicated to the officers concerned for information.	Do do	
149	Orders relative to the conduct of Assistant Apothecary Hamilton at Chitaldroog, were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, for information, and to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, with a request that he will take the first opportunity of transferring the Assistant Apothecary to a station where he will not be in independent charge.	Do do	7th Feb. 1879, Part II, Genl.
150	A report on the season was telegraphed to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	21st do	
151	Certain enquiries were made of the Director of Public Instruction regarding the Sanskrit school at Sravanabelagola, Hassan District.	Do do	
152	A petition from Padmanabaiya, late Kotval of Chitaldroog, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore for disposal.	Do do	
153	In returning the application for pension on behalf of Periyatambi Pille, late Record-keeper, Mysore Judicial Assistant's Court, the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was requested to state the cause of that individual's degradation in May 1860, and to furnish in greater detail his opinion on the subsequent conduct of the applicant.	Do do	
154	As requested, a statement of the services of Amildar Annajaiengar prepared in this office, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog with remarks.	Do do	
155	Volumes of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings for the month of March 1879, both for Mysore and Coorg, were forwarded to the Government of India in the several departments.	Do do	
156	The attention of the Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog was drawn to the instructions on the subject of utilizing the inner face of dockets, and informed that the season report of his District for the week ending 17th instant has been needlessly written on a separate half sheet of paper.	22nd do	22nd ultimo, Part I, Genl.
157	Seven copies of the catalogue of books registered in the Province during the quarter ending 31st March 1879, were submitted to the Under-Secretary of State for India, India Office, London.	Do do	
158	Sixteen copies of the catalogue of books registered in the Province of Mysore during the quarter ending 31st March 1879, together with a copy of each of the books mentioned therein, were submitted to the Government of India, Home Department, with the intimation that seven copies of the catalogue has been transmitted to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India in accordance with the instructions on the subject.	Do do	
159	The Deputy Commissioner of Kolar was informed of the despatch of sixteen cases of stationery for the use of the offices in his District for 1879—80, with a request that on the arrival of the cases, they may be distributed according to the addresses on them.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.	Do do	
160	In reply, the Commissioner of Police, Madras, was informed that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to offer to leave being granted to the applicants referred to, to transport ammunition into Mysore.—Communicated to the Deputy Inspector General of Police, Bangalore.	Do do	
161	A notification granting Ramanna, Amildar, Chikballapur Taluk, two months and fifteen days' privilege leave from such date	Do do	

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	as he may avail himself of it, and appointing Venkatachaliya, late Maramat Accountant, Nundydroog Division office, as Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of that Taluk during the absence of Ramanna on leave or until further orders, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division.		
162	The vernacular proceedings connected with the case of Nayik Ramanujaiengar of Seringapatam, were returned to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, with remarks.	25rd May 1879.	
163	Orders were in reply conveyed to the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, in regard to the compensation claimed by one Nanda Ram Singh of Bangalore for the buildings situated in the garden included within the new bed of the Alsur Tank.	Do do	
164	Copies of the letter from the Government of India, Home Department, directing the discontinuance of certain stereotype phrases in the weekly reports on the state of the weather and prospects of crops received from the different provinces, were forwarded to Deputy Commissioners of Districts for information and guidance.	Do do	
165	Orders relative to the loss of certain property belonging to the temples of Pranadevaru and Halrameswara in the Hosdurga Taluk, were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, and Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog.	Do do	
166	A notification that Mr. T. Srinivasaiengar, Assistant Commissioner, transferred temporarily for employment in the Revenue Secretariat, assumed charge of his duties on the 16th instant, was gazetted.	Do do	
167	The promotion of Ramaswami Iyer, B. A., B. L., Munsiff, Chikballapur, from the 3rd to the 2nd grade, *vice* Namkal Rao appointed an Assistant Commissioner, was gazetted.—Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	21th do	
168	A notification granting Anantaswami Rao, B. A., Munsiff of Challakere, Chitaldroog District, three months' leave on medical certificate from 27th May, and appointing Munsiff Venkat Vardaiengar to act as Munsiff at Challakere during the absence of Anantaswami Rao, or until further orders, was gazetted, and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
169	On the recommendation of the Deputy Surgeon General, the services of 1st Class Hospital Assistant C. Subbarayalu Naidu were placed at the disposal of the Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
170	The Deputy Commissioner of Hassan was informed of the despatch of thirteen cases of stationery for the use of the offices in his District for 1879—80, and requested that on the arrival of the cases, they may be destributed according to the addresses on them.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	Do do	
171	Copy of letter from the Government of India, Home Department, directing that the annual vaccination report may, in future, be submitted separately, if its inclusion in the annual sanitary report causes delay in the punctual submission of the latter, was forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, for information.	26th do	4th March 1879, Part I, General.
172	A notification investing Surgeon T. J. McGann, Superintendent of the Kukerhalli Jail, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 1st class in respect of offences committed within the precincts of that jail, was gazetted and copy sent to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
173	Three printed copies of the returns of food grains in the Provinces of Mysore and Coorg for the fortnight ending 15th April 1879, were submitted to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	
174	A notification directing the name of Raghavendra Rao, late Revenue Accountant, Deputy Commissioner's office, Bangalore District, to be removed from the proscribed list, was gazetted, and copy of the letter from the Government of India, Foreign Department, on the	Do do	

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	subject forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore for information.		
175	In reply, Lieutenant A. Cockburn, R. E., Commanding D. Company, Q. O., Sappers and Miners, was informed that his letter regarding the two telegrams which he wishes to be divulged does not contain the information necessary to admit of them being specified, and that unless the telegrams in question have been sent from a station within the Province, the Chief Commissioner is unable to assist him in procuring them from the check office at Calcutta.	26th May 1879.	
176	In reply, the Commissioner of Police, Madras, was informed that the Chief Commissioner has no objection to N. V. Ramanujam & Co. forwarding 50 lb. of gunpowder and 12,000 caps to Ibrahim Sahib & Co. at Chikmagalur.	Do do	
177	In reply, the Proprietor of the *Commercial Gazette and Daily Advertiser*, Madras, was informed that advertisements of this Administration requiring publication in Madras will be sent for insertion in his paper.	Do do	
178	Copy of the order passed on the petition from Lingamma, widow of Puttannaiya, and Dod Ramaiya and Dod Ramanna, nephews of Puttannaiya of Periyapatna Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore for information.	Do do	
179	As solicited by the Anche Bakshi, the purchase of canvas bags required for the use of his department was sanctioned at a cost of Rs. 632—8—0.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	27th do	7th ultimo, Part II, General.
180	In reply, the Proprietor of the Woollen Factory, Bangalore, was informed that his offer for making up Nos. 1 and 2 canvas bags for the use of the Anche Department has been accepted, and that 40 of the former and 180 of the latter are required.—Communicated to the Anche Bakshi.	Do do	5th instant, Part II, General.
181	The Superintendent, Central Jail, was, with reference to his docket to the Anche Bakshi on the subject, requested to take in hand and supply to the Anche Department 150 canvas bags of No. 3 size and 50 of No. 4.—Communicated to the Anche Bakshi.	Do do	
182	A notification of the assumption of charge of the office of Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District, by Mr. J. Lacey, B. L., from Mr. K. Mahomed Ali on the forenoon of the 5th May 1879, and of the assumption of charge of the General Assistant's Court by the latter in the afternoon was gazetted.	Do do	
183	A notification intimating that one week's privilege leave from the 29th April 1879 has been granted to Mr S. N. Ramaswamaiengar Acting Assistant Commissioner, Shimoga District, was gazetted and copy sent to the Commissioner, Nagar Division.	Do do	
184	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur was informed that upon enquiry of the Anche Bakshi, it has been ascertained that the volume of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings for October 1878 was delivered at his office at Chikmagalur on the 8th January last.	Do do	
185	In reply, Mr. Dalvayi Devaraj Ars, Attaché, was informed that as he is not entitled to any privilege leave, the fifteen days' leave of absence applied for by him from the 15th instant is granted under section 10, Supplement F. of the Civil Leave Code.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
186	The Chief Commissioner's observations with regard to the petition from the Hindu and Mahomedan community of the Cantonment of Bangalore, praying for exemption from the payment of the fee levied for the erection of temporary pandals, were in reply communicated to the President of the Municipal Commission and the Assistant Superintendent of Police.	Do do	
187	A notification intimating that Mr. B. Rajagopalaiya assumed charge of the Assistant Inam Superintendent's Office at Mysore, from Mr. T. Srinivasaiengar on the forenoon of the 14th May, was gazetted.	Do do	

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188	The resolution of the Government of India, Financial Department, dated 30th April 1879, relative to the manner in which charges on account of judicial and non-judicial stamps should be exhibited in future Reviews of the Annual Stamp Administration Reports, was communicated to the Deputy Accountant General for information and guidance.	28th May 1879.	
189	The three returns furnishing information connected with Police Officers employed in Mysore and Coorg were retransmitted to the Government of India in the Foreign Department duly filled up as requested with remarks.	Do do	
190	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was informed that as recommended, the tent belonging to the Shimoga District Office which has been condemned by a committee as unserviceable may be handed over to the Civil Surgeon to be used for contagious diseases when required.	Do do	
191	A report on the season was telegraphed to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	
192	Orders relative to the cases of theft of property belonging to the Agastesvara temple in the Talkad Taluk were passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, with instructions.—Extracts communicated to the Commissioners of Nundydroog and Nagar for information and guidance.	Do do	
193	In compliance with instructions, the returns of sick prisoners in the jails of Mysore and Coorg for the months of February and March 1879, together with the annual returns for the year 1878, were forwarded to the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.	Do do	
194	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Index for the *Indian Jurist* for 1878 is stated by the Agent at Madras to be in the Press and will be supplied shortly.	29th do	20th instant, Part II, General.
195	The Superintendent, Government Museum, was, with reference to the allusion on the subject in the Annual Report of the Museum for 1878—79, requested to make a separate representation on the desirability of permanently employing the two extra peons now employed temporarily in that institution.	Do do	
196	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 15th instant, was submitted to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	Do do	
197	Letter from the Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs, Bangalore, requesting that instructions may be issued to the village authorities to assist him in obtaining supplies, carriage and coolies, during the tour which he purposes making early next month towards Bellary, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Bangalore, Túmkúr, and Chitaldroog with instructions, and 2nd para of the letter regarding the protection of the Assistant Superintendent's camp, &c., against dacoits, was forwarded to the Inspector General of Police, with instructions.	Do do	
198	In reply, the Assistant Superintendent was informed of the instructions as above issued on the subject of his letter.	Do do	
199	The Deputy Commissioner of Mysore was informed of the dispatch of 39 cases containing stationery for the use of the offices in his District, and requested that on the arrival of the cases they may be distributed in accordance with the addresses on them.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	Do do	
200	Volumes of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings for the month of March 1879, both for Mysore and Coorg, were distributed to Heads of Departments.	Do do	
201	In reply, the Amche Bakshi was informed that under the circumstances reported, the amche house asked for by the residents of Dobbspett cannot be sanctioned.	30th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
202	In returning the proceedings connected with the case of Chattrada Nanjundaiya of Dodbalavangla, Dodballapur Taluk, the Commissioner, Nundydroog Division, was informed of the endorsement which has been passed on the appeal petition of that individual.	30th May 1879.	
203	An application for pension in behalf of Ramakrishnaiya, Accountant of the Chief Commissioner's Duftar Department, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, for verification and report.	Do do	
204	In reply, the Inspector General of Police was informed that the Chief Commissioner regrets that at this juncture the three months' privilege leave applied for by Mr. Venkat Vardaiengar, Police Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, cannot be granted.	Do do	
205	The duplicate packing account of stores per *S. S. Dorunda* dated 22nd February 1879, was returned to the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, Madras, duly filled up as requested.	Do do	19th instant, Part II, General.
206	Letter from the Government of India, Financial Department, dated 15th instant, regarding expenditure in providing accommodation for the Heads of Local Governments at hill stations, or in improving or altering existing buildings for the same purpose, was communicated to the Revenue and Public Works Secretaries to the Chief Commissioner, and to the Deputy Accountant General.	31st do	
207	In reply, Mr. F. G. Shaw, Ootacamund, was informed that the Chief Commissioner is quite prepared to apply to the gold mines of Kolar such rate of Royalty as may hereafter be determined by the Government of India, as applicable to mines in British India.	Do do	
208	Duplicates of packing account of stores per S. S. *El Dorado* dated 9th ultimo, were forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction and to the Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, with a request that the blank columns may be duly filled up and the document returned to this office.	Do do	
209	Mr. R. C. Dobbs, C. E. was requested to nominate some person in Bangalore under a special power of attorney from himself to present for registration on his behalf the deed of conveyance of General Dobbs's property in the Tumkúr District.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

EDUCATIONAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Copy of letter dated 30th ultimo, from the Government of India, Foreign Department, communicating orders on certain amended proposals in connection with the reductions in the Educational Department, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction, with a request that he will report when the Normal School can be instituted, and whether in his opinion Mysore or Bangalore will be the best situation for it.	16th May 1879.	1st March 1879, Part II, Edl.
2	Copies of the letter from the Government of India, Home Department, dated 2nd instant, together with the papers forwarded therewith, containing orders prohibiting the employment of chaplains in the service of Government on duties not strictly appertaining to the office of Chaplain, were communicated to the Director of Public Instruction and Commissioners of Divisions.	28th do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
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C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

MILITARY.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	The Government of India, Military Department, was informed that of the 378 Indian Mutiny medals received in March 1865 for issue to the native officers and men of the Mysore Horse who were engaged in the Shorapura field service, 48 remain unclaimed, and that they will be detained in this office pending orders on the subject.	2nd May 1879.	14th ultimo, Part II, Military.
2	At the request of the Military Assistant, the name of the Daffedar whose transfer to the retired list was sanctioned in the order dated 30th ultimo, was altered from "Mir Mohiuddin Alli Khan" to "Mir Mohidin Alli Khan."—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	9th do	30th ultimo, Part II, Military.
3	The Military Assistant's quarterly statement of arms, &c, for the period ending 31st December 1878, was returned to the Deputy Accountant General.	10th do	
4	In reply, the Military Assistant was informed that, under the circumstances reported, the removal from the force of Risaldars Parsuram Ghorpadé and Rama Rao of the 1st Regiment, Mysore Horse, is authorized, and that therefore no pensions can be granted to them.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
5	As requested, a sannad for Mahomed Husen, Risaldar of the 1st Regiment, Mysore Horse, was forwarded to the Military Assistant.	13th do	25th ultimo. Part II, Military.
6	The Commandant, Bangalore Rifle Volunteers, was requested to submit as early as practicable, a return for 1878—79 of the officers, non-commissioned officers, and effective volunteers for whom capitation allowance has been drawn.	Do do	
7	On the recommendation of the Military Assistant, the transfer to the retired list on a pension of Rs. 3—8—0 per mensem of Siledar Syed Ali with effect from 15th March 1879, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
8	The forty-eight Indian Mutiny medals returned to this office by the Military Assistant, were forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, with a request that they may be kept in the Treasury till called for.	15th do	2nd instant, Part II, Military.
9	At the request of the Military Assistant, the transfer to the retired list of Ranoji Birze, Daffedar, 3rd Regiment, Siledar Horse, on a pension of Rs. 6 per mensem, with effect from 10th instant, was sanctioned —Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	16th do	
10	On the recommendation of the Military Assistant, the transfer to the retired list of Siledar Gulzar Dhonglo and Mastan Khan on a monthly pension of Rs. 3—8—0 each, with effect from 15th May 1879, was sanctioned —Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	17th do	
11	Copy of letter from the Government of India, Military Department, regarding the recommendation that silver lace be entirely discontinued for volunteers in favor of silk or mohair on red ground, was forwarded to the Commandant, Bangalore Rifle Volunteers, for opinion.	19th do	
12	As requested, the 48 unclaimed Indian Mutiny medals of the native officers and men of the Mysore Horse referred to, were forwarded to the Government of India, Military Department.	26th do	2nd instant, Part II, Military.
13	In reply, the Government of India, Foreign Department, was informed that the Officiating Commandant of the Bangalore Rifle Volunteers reports that the discontinuance of silver lace in favor of silk or mohair on red ground for volunteers would be an improvement.	31st do	19th instant, Part II, Military.

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

COORG PROVINCE,

MAY, 1879.

PROCEEDINGS

OF

J. D. GORDON, Esq., C. S. I., B. C. S.,

CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

PART I—A, IN EXTENSO.

JUDICIAL.—*Nil.*
REV. AG. & COM.
FINANCIAL. *Nil.*
GENERAL. „
EDUCATIONAL. „

PART II—B, IN ABSTRACT.

JUDICIAL.
REV. AG. & COM.
FINANCIAL.
GENERAL.
EDUCATIONAL.—*Nil.*

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PART I.

DEPT. OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

A.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

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2.	Do	to	do	No. 525—75, dated 26th November 1877.
3.	Do	from	do	No. 246—36, dated 29th July 1878.
4.	Do	to the Comptroller General, No. 568—12, dated 13th November 1878.		
5.	Do	from	do	No. 6478, dated 21st December 1878.
6.	Do	to	do	No. 903—15, dated 24th February 1879.
7.	Do	from	do	No. 245, dated 9th April 1879.

No. 103—REV. 2, DATED 3RD MAY 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The annexed eight forms of Demand, Collection and Balance Statements submitted by the Superintendent with his letter No. 246—36, dated 29th July 1878, are approved, and the Chief Commissioner is pleased to sanction their adoption from the commencement of the current official year.

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STATEMENT

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance under the head

No.	Taluk.	Outstanding balance brought over.			Demand for current month.					Total Demand including Outstanding Balance.	Collec-	
					Fixed Collections.						Fixed	
		Balance up to the end of March.	Balance of current year's demand unrealized at the close of last month.	Total.	Ryotwar Kandayam.	Dhooly Paddy.	Coffee Assessment.	Assessed pasture land (Hulgaval) and grazing dues under Revenue Department.	Total.		Ryotwar Kandayam.	Dhooly Paddy.
	Total...											
									Add Surplus Collections.			
										Total...		

STATEMENT

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance und .r Casual

No.	Taluk.	Balance up to the end of last month.	Demand for current month.					Total Demand including Outstanding Balance	Collec-
			Sale proceeds of waste lands.	Miscellaneous.					Sale proceeds of waste lands.
				Fines and forfeitures of Revenue Courts.	Receipts under Recovery of arrears of Revenue Act.	Miscellaneous.	Total.		

No. I.

Land Revenue" of the Coorg Province for the month of

ions.														
ollections.					Balance outstanding at close of current month.									
					Fixed Collections.				Total.					
Coffee Assessment.	Assessed pasture land (Hulgaval) and grazing dues under Revenue Department.	Total.	Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total Collections and Remissions.	Ryotwar Kaudayam.	Hoody Paddy.	Coffee Assessment.	Assessment on pasture lands (Hulgaval) and grazing dues under Revenue Department.	For the Demand of previous years.	For the current year's Demand.	Total.	Remarks.		

Superintendent.

No. II.

Land Revenue Receipts of the Coorg Province for the month of

tions.															
	Miscellaneous.					Balance outstanding at close of current month.									
							Miscellaneous.			Total.					
Fines and forfeitures of Revenue Courts.	Receipts under Recovery of Arrears of Revenue Act.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total Collections and Remissions.	Sale proceeds of waste lands.	Fines and forfeitures of Revenue Courts.	Receipts under Recovery of Arrears of Revenue Act.	Miscellaneous.	For the Demand of previous years.	For the current year's Demand.	Total.			

Superintendent.

STATEME

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance u

No.	Taluk.	Balance up to the end of last month.	Demand for current month.								Total Demand including outstanding balance.	C			
			Cardamom tax.	Resin tax.	Pepper.	Arecanut.	Sale of timber on waste lands.	Fines and forfeitures.	Collections by Forest Department.	Total.		Cardamom tax.	Resin tax.	Pepper.	Arecanut.

STATEME

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance under the head Abl

No.	Taluk.	Balance up to the end of last month.	Demand for current month.									Total Demand including outstanding balance.	C			
			License and Distillery fees and duties for the sale of liquors and drugs.				Sale proceeds of excise opium.	Fines, confiscations and miscellaneous.			Total.		License and Distillery fees and duties for the sale of liquors and drugs.			
			License fees.	Still head duty.	License fees for the sale of opium and ganja. (Farm of Drugs.)	Rent of toddy trees.		Fines and confiscations.	Rent of Distillery.	Miscellaneous.			License fees.	Still-head duty.	License fees for the sale of opium and ganja. (Farm of Drugs.)	

I.

he head Forest for the Coorg Province for the month of

ns.							Balance outstanding at close of current month.									
Sale of timber on waste lands.	Fines and forfeitures.	Collections by Forest Department.	Total.	Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total collections and remissions.	Cardamom tax.	Resin tax.	Pepper.	Arecanut.	Sale of timber on waste lands.	Fines and forfeitures.	Collections by Forest Department.	Total. For the demand of previous years.	Total. For the current year's demand.	Total.	Remarks.

Superintendent.

V.

r Excise own Spirits and Drugs in the Province of Coorg for the month of

ns.							Balance outstanding at close of current month.											
Sale proceeds of excise opium.	Fines, confiscations and miscellaneous.			Total.	Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total collections and Remissions.	License and Distillery fees and duties for the sale of liquors and drugs.				Sale proceeds of excise opium.	Fines, confiscations and miscellaneous.			Total.			Remarks.
	Fines and confiscations.	Rent of Distillery.	Miscellaneous.				License fees.	Still-head duty.	License fees for the sale of opium and ganja. Farm of Drugs.	Rent of toddy trees.		Fines and confiscations.	Rent of Distillery.	Miscellaneous.	For the demand of previous years.	For the current year's demand.	Total.	

Superintendent.

No.

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance under the

No.	Taluk.	Balance up to the end of last month.	Demand for current month.											
			Stamps.	Post Office.	Telegraph.	Law and Justice.	Interest.	Miscellaneous.						
								Miscellaneous.	Survey Charges.	Nazar Kanike Fees.	Water Tax.	Nalwadi Palace Garden Receipts.	Total.	

No.

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance under the head of

No.	Taluk.	Balance up to the end of last month.	Demand for current month.								
			Mohatarfa Collections.		Jails.	Registration.	Education.	Miscellaneous.	Provincial Public Works.	Total.	
			Paid by Land-holders.	Paid by others.							

V.

ıead of Miscellaneous Revenue of the Coorg Province for the month of

Total Demand including outstanding Balance	Collections.										Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total Collections and Remissions.	Balance outstanding at close of current month.										Total			Remarks.
	Stamps.	Post Office.	Telegraphs.	Law and Justice.	Interest	Miscellaneous.	Survey Charges	Nazar Kanike Fees.	Water Tax.	Sankarad Palace Garden Receipts.	Total.		Stamps	Post Office.	Telegraphs.	Law and Justice.	Interest	Miscellaneous.	Survey Charges	Nazar Kanike Fees.	Water Tax.	Sankarad Palace Garden Receipts.	For the Demand of previous years.	For the current year's Demand.	Total.	

Superintendent.

VI.

Provincial Service Receipts of the **Coorg Province** for the month of

Total Demand including outstanding Balance	Collections.								Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total Collections and Remissions.	Balance outstanding at close of current month.							Total		
	Mohatarfa Collections.		Jails.	Registration.	Education.	Miscellaneous.	Provincial Public Works.	Total.			Mohatarfa Collections.		Jails.	Registration.	Education.	Miscellaneous.	Provincial Public Works.	For the Demand of Previous years.	For the current year's Demand.	Total.
	Paid by Land-holders.	Paid by others.									Paid by Land-holders	Paid by others								

Superintendent.

No.

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance under the

No.	Taluk.	Balance up to the end of last month.	Demand for current month.											
			Taxes, Rates & Cesses.		Tolls.		Rents.	Cattle Trespass Fines.						
			Market Fees.	Educational Plough Tax.	Tolls on Bridges	Tolls on Ferries.	Receipts from Staging Bungalows.	Pound Fees and Sale of unclaimed Cattle.	Miscellaneous.	Total District Funds.	Dispensary Funds.	Total District and Dispensary Funds.		

No.

Statement shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance under the

No.	Names of Municipalities.	Balance up to the end of last month.	Demand for current month							
			Octroi.	Tax on Houses Buildings, and Lands.	Tax on Professions and Trades.		Rents.		Miscellaneous.	Total.
			Octroi.	Tax on Houses.	Mohatarfa.	Tax on Brick Kilns.	Rent on Lands, Shops, &c.			

VII.

head of District Funds of the Coorg Province for the month of

Total Demand including outstanding balance.	Collections.											Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total Collections and Remissions	Balance outstanding at close of current month.											Remarks
	Taxes, Rates & Cesses.		Tolls		Rents.	Cattle Trespass Fines.								Taxes, Rates and Cesses		Tolls.		Rents	Cattle Trespass Fines			Total.		
	Market Fees.	Educational Plough Tax.	Tolls on Bridges.	Tolls on Ferries.	Receipts from Singing Bungalows	Pound Fees and Sale of unclaimed Cattle.	Miscellaneous.	Total District Funds.	Dispensary Funds.	Total District and Dispensary Funds.				Market Fees.	Educational Plough Tax.	Tolls on Bridges.	Tolls on Ferries.	Rents from Singing Bungalows	Pound Fees and Sale of unclaimed Cattle.	Miscellaneous.	Total Current Balance.	Due for previous years.	For the current year's Demand.	Total.	

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VIII.

head of Municipal Funds of the Coorg Province for the month of

Total Demand including outstanding balance.	Collections.							Remissions sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.	Total Collections and Remissions	Balance outstanding at close of current month.									Remarks
	Octroi.	Taxes on Houses, Buildings & Lands.	Tax on Professions and Trades Rents.				Miscellaneous.	Total.			Octroi	Taxes on Houses Buildings & Lands	Tax on Professions and Trades.				Miscellaneous.	Total.	
	Octroi.	Tax on Houses.	Mohatarfa.	Tax on Brick Kilns.	Rent on Lands, Shops, &c.						Octroi	Tax on Houses.	Mohatarfa.	Tax on Brick Kilns.	[illegible] on Lands Shops		For the current and previous years.	For the current year's Demand.	Total.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	In continuation of previous correspondence, copy of a letter from the Judicial Commissioner, on the subject of the "Master and Servants" and "Easements" Bills, was submitted to the Home Secretary.	7th May 1879.	25th April 1879, Camp No. 60.
2	Copies of judgment, &c., in case No. 53 of 1879 on the file of the 1st Assistant Superintendent of Coorg, in which one Narnappa, a Forester, was charged with criminal breach of trust, were forwarded to the Public Prosecutor, Nundydroog Division, with a request that he will move the Judicial Commissioner to call for and review the proceedings held in the case.	21st do	

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

W. J. CUNNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

DEPT. OF REV., AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	A proposition statement for the up-keep of the coffee estate survey in Coorg, at a total cost of Rs. 4,980 per annum, was submitted for the sanction of the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.	3rd May 1879.	3rd March 1879, No. 932-17.
2	Adverting to previous correspondence, it was reported to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, that the Devamarchi forest block No. 6 may also be included in the tracts of land proposed to be assigned for coffee cultivation.	7th do	14th Nov. 1878, No. 581—12.
3	On the representation of the Coorg Superintendent, the re-survey of the Kumbur Kadu Estate at the cost of the Proprietor Mr. F. Mangles, was sanctioned.	Do do	
4	A notification declaring the Menasadabetta and Alur Forests as Government reserves was gazetted.	9th do	No. 998—R. F. 172, dated 22nd March 1879.
5	For reasons detailed, the Superintendent of Coorg was informed that it will be just and equitable to refund to Mr. A. C. Abbs the amount overpaid by him for the Tammamotte Kadu.	15th do	7th March 1879, No. 949—83.
6	Copy of the above proceedings forwarded to Mr. Abbs, with a request that he will communicate with the Superintendent specifying details of the claim in question.	Do do	
7	It was reported to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, that no lands were alienated in Coorg during the year 1878—79.	20th do	
8	It was reported to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, that the Coorg Survey Party has been withdrawn with the exception of a small establishment detailed for carrying on the survey of waste lands and bané lands.	28th do	

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

W. J. CUNNINGHAM,
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PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

FINANCIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	As solicited by the Superintendent of Coorg, sanction was conveyed to the purchase of a bullock at a cost of Rs. 80 for his camp equipage establishment.	6th May 1879.	
2	The Superintendent of Coorg was informed that as rules 69—1 of the Civil Pension Code applies to P. Mandanna, late Subedar, Nanjarajpatna Taluk, no application can be made regarding his pension to the Government of India.	9th do	15th April 1879, No. 38—8.
3	Copy of letter No. 821 of 23rd ultimo, from the Financial Department, sanctioning the extra grant of Rs. 2,500 to meet the printing charges in Coorg, during the past official year, was communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	Do do	11th Feb. 1879, No. 848—57.
4	Copies of Government of India letter No. 1570 of 17th ultimo, sanctioning the excess charges of the Coorg District Jail up to the close of the year 1878—79, were communicated to the Judicial Commissioner and the Comptroller General.	Do do	1st March 1879, No. 923—59.
5	Coorg Superintendent's docket No. 69—4 of 5th instant, being notification of sanction for one rupee for tarring the boat at the Kakebe ferry in Nalknad, was transferred to the Secretary, Department Public Works, for disposal.	13th do	
6	Copy of Financial Department letter No. 339 of 29th ultimo, sanctioning the adjustment of any excess expenditure over the budget grant for 1878—79 which may be actually incurred in that year on account of the extra establishment entertained for the Coorg Survey, was communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg, for information and guidance.	Do do	
7	A notification of sanction for Rs. 121—12—0 for clearing lanthana within the municipal limits at Mercara, was returned to the Superintendent of Coorg duly accepted.	Do do	

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	As requested by him, specimen forms of Municipal Statement B and Form C were furnished to the Coorg Superintendent.	5th May 1879.	
2	The Quarterly Gradation List of officers serving in the Mysore and Coorg Commissions corrected up to 31st March 1879, as well as the monthly register of effective and non-effective officers employed in the Coorg Province with proportionate return and blank statement of vacancies for the month of April last, were submitted to the Home Secretary.	Do do	
3	Forty English and ninety Kanarese copies of Act VI of 1879, an Act for the preservation of wild elephants, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg.	7th do	
4	The Superintendent of Coorg was requested to submit a notification cancelling the grant issued to the Secretary, Coorg Planters' Association, for the site of land adjoining the Mercara Civil Dispensary. — Communicated to the Honorary Secretary, Coorg Planters' Association.	Do do	
5	In reply, the Superintendent of Coorg was informed that at Boleka's death, the Patelship of Chelavara village reverts to the heirs of the late Patel Devaiya in preference.	9th do	4th April 1879, No. 10—2.
6	Certain revised printed forms received from the Treasury Officer, Mercara, were returned, duly filled up with the names of the officials of the Chief Commissioner's Head-quarters' Establishment.	Do do	22nd April 1879, No. 61—6.
7	The fact that Surgeon J. S. Dill delivered over, and Surgeon J. J. Moran received, charge of the Coorg Civil Dispensary, &c., was gazetted.	Do do	3rd June 1875, No. 158—19.
8	The Superintendent of Coorg was informed in reply that building sites sold by auction should be classed as No. I "by sales at full market value."	14th do	
9	The election of certain non-official members to serve in the Municipalities of Somvarpet, Kodlipet and Fraserpet, was confirmed.	15th do	
10	In reply, the Superintendent of Coorg was informed that P. Appanna, Head Sheristadar, may be permitted to resign the service and that failure on his part to accept the offer will entail his removal.	Do do	
11	The fact that Mr. C. Subbaiya, 2nd Assistant Superintendent, handed over charge of the 2nd Assistant Superintendent's Office and Treasury, to Major H. M. S. Magrath on the 5th instant, was notified.	16th do	
12	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Superintendent of Coorg had been already supplied with 40 English and 90 Kanarese copies of Act VI of 1879.	Do do	
13	The Superintendent of Coorg was informed that a certified copy of the sunnad issued by the late Linga Rajendra Vadeyar granting as	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	Bhatamanya certain lands in the Yelesvirasime Taluk may be given to Venkatadraiya and 14 others, if the applicants have an interest in the land.		
14	As pointed out by the Superintendent of Coorg, the words "oldest son" were corrected to "grandson" in this Office Proceedings No. 78—13 of 25th ultimo, and amended copies furnished to the Comptroller General and Superintendent.	17th May 1879	25th April 1879, No. 78—13.
15	An application from Mr. W. King, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Coorg, for three months' privilege leave, was forwarded to the Comptroller General, for the usual certificate of eligibility.	Do do	
16	An hydrometer for the use of the Abkari Department was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg, who was requested to transmit the cost thereof, *viz.*, Rs. 457.	Do do	
17	In forwarding two rupees worth of telegraph stamps to be returned to M. Belliyappa, the Superintendent of Coorg was requested to inform the petitioner that his case will receive orders on receipt of his petitions.	19th do	
18	The nomination of certain non-official members of the Mercara and Virarajendrapet Municipalities was approved.	26th do	
19	As solicited by K Subbaiya, Mercara, copy of this office order No. 765—45 of 21st January last anent the Chikka Periambáne land, was forwarded.	Do do	
20	The map of the Padinalknad Taluk was returned to the Superintendent, Madras Survey, as requested.	27th do	
21	Ninety-two jamma saan... s, for impression with the Chief Commissioner's large seal, were forwarded to the Superintendent, Government Press.	Do do	
22	A notification granting 15 days' privilege leave to Mr. C. Subbaya, 2nd Assistant Superintendent, from the 5th instant, was gazetted.	28th do	
23	Forty English copies of Act I of 1879 (the Indian Stamp Act) were furnished to the Superintendent of Coorg.	Do do	
24	In reply to his application of the 23rd instant, Mr A. R. Dunning, Head Clerk, Coorg Superintendent's Office, was informed that his application for a post in the Mysore Palace Department will be noted, but that the Chief Commissioner does not know of any opportunity of employing him now.	30th do	
25	Telegraph stamps to value of Rs. 2 were returned to the Superintendent of Coorg in continuation, for delivery to M. Belliyappa.	Do do	19th instant.
26	In reply, the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department, was informed that an efficient Clerk for the payment of military pensioners in Mercara, cannot be obtained for less than Rs. 35 per mensem.	Do do	13th May 1879.

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

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